WHAT IS WRONG AT THE COURT HOUSE?

The Scioto county court house is one of the private preserves of Philo S. Clark, the Republican boss whom no less an authority than former Congressman Henry T. Bannon says "personally selected and will absolutely control" the present so-called Republican city ticket. Almost every officer in the court house for years has been Clark's tool. They don't even select a negro janitor out there without first seeing Philo.

Things, on the surface, had been going on smoothly at Mr. Clark's court house, although the county roads have been going to pieces and the county tax levy going up. Of late, however, things have been happening and a little light has been turned in on the court house and the officials Philo S. Clark caused to be put there.

For instance state examiners reported thousands of dollars illegally drawn from the treasury by the gangsters. But little of it has been paid back.

A Clark gang official, Probate Judge Thomas C. Beatty, is now being sued by the city of Portsmouth for $180, which it is alleged he failed to account for when acting as city solicitor of Portsmouth.

The Times is daily showing how former Clark Sheriff Gustin and present Clark candidate for mayor D. W. Gustin's own records as sheriff show him to have been outrageously careless in handling public moneys, to say the most charitable thing of it. Upon a similar showing of the records of another county official, whom the gang fell out with, Clark's prosecuting attorney took the case before the grand jury.

And now comes the astounding news, as conveyed to readers of The Times in Saturday's issue, that the accounts of "Billy Do" Gims, the End Hynicka of the local gang, and retiring county treasurer are all balled up!

The successor of Gims as treasurer, George L. Davis, was strongly disinclined to give a Times reporter any definite information, but he did say enough to indicate that Gims was a lamentably careless official. It is said that Gims turned over to his successor, Mr. Davis, a large sum of money in excess of what his tax books showed he should have in his possession. The amount is variously estimated at from $800 to $2000. Treasurer Davis would not give the exact figures to a Times man, but said it was not as much as $2000.

At first thought this would seem to indicate that Billy Do Gims was a noble and virtuous official, that he had actually paid over more money to his successor than his books showed he should have paid.

But just wait a minute, Mr. Tax Payer and see what this Gims surplus means to you.

This money represents money paid in by Scioto county tax payers for which they got no credit on the official records.

This money means that every one of the 15,000 and more tax payers of Scioto county will have to jealously guard their tax receipts. The man who loses his tax receipt may be the man whom Gims neglected to credit and unless he produces the tax receipt, he will have to pay over again!

This money means **GUARD YOUR TAX RECEIPTS.**

Some property, through such carelessness may go on the delinquent tax list and sold to foreign speculators. Then the man who hasn't got his receipt will have to pay his taxes over again and a big penalty in addition!

And then too after a reasonable time has expired, what do you suppose will become of that excess money which the tax payers paid in and which "Billy Do" Gims turned over to his successor as excess money for which his books had no record?

Would not that money, after a reasonable time, if all the men who paid it, lost their tax receipts, belong to William Gims?

Would not Mr. Gims be entitled to go to the county treasurer's office and demand the money?

Wonder if "Billy Do" would ever make the demand, for the surplus?

In the presence of such startling exposures of what Clark-ism is doing in the court house, do the citizens of Portsmouth want to vote the same old bunch into power in Portsmouth?

For that is what the election of the alleged Republican ticket means this fall. It means court house methods in the city hall.

But, no matter how you vote, Mr. Citizen, hang onto your tax receipt. It may mean a mighty lot to you.

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Taft Begins Mississippi River Trip

St. Louis, Oct. 25.—President Taft divided his time today between two cities, giving eight hours to St. Louis and one and one-half hours to East St. Louis. He arrived this morning at 7:27 o'clock and prepared to leave at 5 this afternoon on his 1200 mile voyage down the Mississippi river to New Orleans. The president ate breakfast at the St. Louis club and after a short rest he drove to the Coliseum. Here before making an address he greeted two congressmen, 33 governors and a score of United States senators who arrived this morning as guests of the business men's league for the trip down the Mississippi river. Seven foreign ministers were seated on the platform. Later Taft was guest of honor at lunch at the Business Men's League of St. Louis at the Planters hotel. There were nine hundred guests, including congressmen, governors and senators. At 3:30 this afternoon Taft was scheduled to be taken to East St. Louis. There he was to meet Vice President Sherman and Speaker Cannon. He will return to St. Louis at 4 o'clock and embark on the light house tender Oleander for New Orleans.

The president in his speech at the Coliseum declared he stands in favor of the issue of bonds for the carrying out of the approved waterways improvement projects. He said of a bond issue is to secure sufficient money to carry out quickly such projects as may be approved after a careful investigation and which can prove their worth to entire country. He said he was opposed to any such general bond issue of five hundred millions of dollars or billion of dollars for waterways improvement, the money to be cut up and parceled out to different sections. Speaker Cannon who some time ago declared he opposed any issue of bonds to improve the waterways, sat just beside the president while he was speaking.

LIPTON TO CHALLENGE FOR CUP

New York, Oct. 25.—On his arrival here today from Europe, Sir Thomas Lipton announced that he would challenge the New York Yacht Club and do his best to arrange matters with the club so that he can have another chance for the American cup.

YOUNG GIRL IS NOW MOTHER

Miss Ora Polly, a young colored girl, gave birth of a baby boy at the home of her mother, Mrs. Susan Polly, at Twelfth and Kendall Sunday. The mother is only in her teens and the affair has created quite a sensation in the neighborhood.

Royal Arcanum To Meet.

Royal Arcanum will meet in its quarters in Eagles hall, Tuesday evening. Members are urged to be present.

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EXPLAIN IT MR. GUSTIN!

Going back to the records of former Sheriff D. W. Gustin, who is now the gang candidate for mayor of Portsmouth, The Times today presents just this little case of balled-up records for him to explain to the tax payers of Portsmouth, whom he is asking to elect him mayor:

Case No. 7565. V. R. Rowe vs. Mary Crowe et al—The bill of costs ordered paid by the sheriff in the order of distribution, includes an item of $5.30 due ex-Sheriff Thomas T. Yeager for costs. Mr. Yeager's receipt for said payment does not appear, nor does Mr. Yeager's cash book show same was ever paid to him by the then Sheriff D. W. Gustin.

How do you explain this, Mr. Gustin? Was it a "matter between friends" as your organ says, this plain violation of the law?

Was it graft or was it carelessness, Mr. Gustin?

P. S.—By the way, Mr. Gustin, The Times expert casually glanced over the bills you turned over to the county for "boarding prisoners," the rate paid you being 45 cents per day. Our expert said this was a most interesting study. The Times suggests that you look up your receipts, stubs and checks on the "boarding of prisoners" for this paper is going to take up the subject in a day or two.

The Reitz Stone company has shut down its quarries on Carey's Run. The firm has quit business save for the selling of block stone still on hands.

Mrs. Hagen and daughter of South Webster, visited Portsmouth friends Saturday.

BOSHTER BILL GETS HIS'N AGAIN

Melbourne, Oct. 25.—Bill Lange, the Australian pugilist, knocked out Bill Squires, of Australia, in the twentieth round. They fought for the heavyweight championship of Australia.

Horse Drops Dead.

A valuable horse belonging to Teamster Joe Tatman of West Second street, dropped dead of heart failure early Monday morning. Mr. Tatman has been very unlucky in losing his best horses in the past few years.

JOHN M'CLURE FALLS FROM HIS ENGINE

John McClure, an engineer in charge of N. & W. passenger train No. 3, was painfully hurt while approaching Chillicothe Sunday morning.

At a point just this side of the above city, McClure started to alight from his engine and in the fog missed his footing, and also went through a trestle. He fell over backwards and severely gashed his head. His cries brought help and he was put aboard the baggage car. His wounds were dressed at Chillicothe and he was removed on through to Columbus.

All Daughters of Pocahontas are urged to attend the initiation to be held next Tuesday night.

MODERN BLUEBEARD IS ARRESTED IN N. Y.

New York, Oct. 25.—Inspector McCafferty, chief of central office, announced this afternoon that he had received word from Brooklyn headquarters that Frederick Gebhardt, alias Mueller, had confessed to the police authorities that he murdered his wife, Anna Latter, a year ago at Islip, L. I.

New York, Oct. 25.—Admissions made today under a severe cross-examination of the police by Otto Mueller, an Astoria, L. I., piano maker, arrested last night on the belief that he may know something of the strange circumstances surrounding the death of Anna Latter, a young German woman whose skeleton was recently discovered at Islip, L. I., is expected by the police to bring to light a tale of wholesale marriage and murder rarely equalled in the criminal records. Mueller was arraigned today under the name of Frederick Gebhardt on the formal charge of bigamy, but the chain of circumstantial evidence was drawn so tightly about him that the police expect to lodge a more serious charge against him. Mrs. Gebhardt, Mueller's present wife, confided to the authorities that her husband in his cups was overheard to declare she was his eighth wife, and those who preceded her were all dead. Mueller admitted he married the Latter girl in February, 1908, but says he deserted her three months later and does not know what became of here thereafter.

WOMAN DID NOT KNOW SLATTER

An article in the Times a day or two ago appears to have done Mrs. Ida Youngman, of East Twelfth street, an injustice. In referring to the death of Schlatter, self-styled "Divine Healer," the impression was given that she was acquainted with him and through her he might have got the handkerchief, with a Portsmouth woman's name, found on his person when his death was discovered. As a matter of fact, Mrs. Youngman, while a girl at South Webster ten years ago, did know some one at Columbus by the name of George Slatter, but he was not "the Divine Healer," nor any relative of his. Mrs. Youngman never visited the Healer when here and never knew him. Remarks of the reporter about Mrs. Youngman's financial condition were purely gratuitous. She is able to and does support herself without asking charity of anyone.

BEER BOILERS EXPLODE, 1 KILLED

Milwaukee, Oct. 25.—The terrific explosion of three boilers in the power plant of the Pabst Brewing Co. this morning resulted in the death of Fred Stein, an employe, and the serious injury to four others. Property damage will be $250,000.

To Initiate Candidates

A class of about thirty candidates will be initiated by Portsmouth Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, Friday night. A banquet will follow the degree work.

WORE LID OF STRAW

A man wearing a straw hat came in on No. 16 today. The push about the depot told Rickey it was his duty to arrest him, but Oscar said nay; he might have to wear one himself some fine winter day.

Takes Charge Of Brewery

A. G. Springs, the Portsmouth Brewing and Ice company's agent at Catlettsburg, had charge of affairs at the plant Monday while firm members and employees were before the court.

Opens Up Plumbing Shop

Martin Journey, who has been employed with the Tritscheller company, has engaged in business for himself. He has opened a shop at No. 225 West Third street and is prepared to do all kinds of plumbing and gas fitting.

ORGANIZE CLUB THURSDAY

Because of many of the promoters being detained by business, there was a light attendance at the meeting called for Saturday night to proceed with the organization of the new Masonic club. Chairman Frank Vincent accordingly postponed the organization until next Thursday evening. The members engaged in canvassing for stock are meeting with good success and three of them alone, who were on hand Saturday evening, had already sold over $500 worth. The capital stock is to be $1500 and no difficulty is anticipated in disposing of this amount.

Advance Man Here.

George Samuels was at the Washington Monday in advance of the Isle of Spice, a coming attraction at the Grand.

M. F. Carroll & Sons have just overhauled some of the Southern Express company's wagons.

Autos Off on Good Road Tour

New York, Oct. 26.—Sixty-one automobiles representing thirty-four different makes were sent away today on a ten days run to Atlanta, Ga., as participants in the good roads tour promoted by the New York Herald and Atlanta Journal. The start was made from Herald Square. The contest for trophies aggregate $1700.

THE MARKETS

Opening.

Wheat Dec. $1.05¼; May $1.05¼.

Corn Dec. 59⅞; May 61⅜; July 60¾.

Oats Dec. 40; May 42⅜.

Close.

Wheat Dec. $1.01⅜; May $1.04⅛; July 98.

Corn Oct. 60¼; Dec. 59¼; May 61⅜; July 60¾.

Oats Dec. 40; May 42⅜; July 39⅞.

Here From St. Louis.

Percy Carr, a former resident, who has been making his home in Cincinnati, arrived in the city on Sunday, on a visit to friends.

Say, this detective business is a reg'lar circus for fun. Put on another false face today and tackled a chap that I knew had never voted anything but a gang ticket. I put on a brazen, bulldozin' air like a bona fide henchman, nudged the feller in the slats and said familiar like "Of course you are in line." Gee he got real sore and for a bit I thought he was goin' to "paste" me. "No, I ain't," says he, "and what's more I ain't goin' to be. Think I'm goin' to vote for you to be chief o'police when the bull county is speckeled with burglars, crooks and sich that you couldn't ketch when sheriff? Not much." And with that he skidooed. So did I. Here's my weather.

Ohio and Indiana.—Partly cloudy tonight, Tuesday warmer. West Virginia.—Fair tonight and Tuesday, warmer.

SOCIETY

Miss Alma Hitchcock will entertain the new Tuesday Evening Sewing club in this week's regular session.

Mrs. Charles Frederick of Sixth avenue, will be host at the next meeting of the Saturday Sewing club which held last week's meeting at the home of Miss Edna Davis, with Miss Margaret Sellards as special guest.

On Thursday afternoon Trinity Women's Aid Society will meet in business and social session at the new home of Mrs. W. D. Dupre, 1326 Park avenue.

First Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society will meet on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. L. M. Ricker.

The First Baptist Women's Aid Society gave a surprise kitchen shower to Mrs. George Carson on last Saturday evening at her new home on Lincoln Hill. Mr. Carson who was in the secret served delicious refreshments to the unexpected but exceedingly welcome guests who so substantially surprised Mrs. Carson with all kinds of articles useful in the daily routine of kitchen proceedings.

Among recent parties was one at the home of Miss Hattie Byron. Games and music were followed by delectable refreshments.

Owing to her continued suffering from facial neuralgia. Mrs. James Patterson will be unable to entertain the Tuesday club in this week's regular session.

Master Mark de Bruin Heer, who has been ill with diphtheria, has been discharged by his physician and soon the quarantine will be lifted from his home.

Dr. and Mrs. R. O. LeBaron write that they will probably go from Old Point Comfort to Washington and Boston, Mass., on the way home to this city.

On Wednesday afternoon the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Chas. Wilhelm.

Miss Lulu Dawson will be host at the next regular meeting of the Holmes club, Oct. 29th.

Mrs. Homer Ellis and baby William of Higginsport, have assumed their visit to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Coe.

The Hilltop Kensington will meet in regular session October 28th with Mrs. J. H. Meyer.

The Shakespeare club will meet Saturday evening with Miss Louise Small.

Mrs. William Maier will entertain the Qui Vive Kensington on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dan Connell, and little son, Charles, who have been visiting Mrs. Lou Cady, in Cleveland, for the two weeks, arrived home Saturday, says the Irontonian.

Mrs. Magdalena Gabelman, of John street, went to Waverly Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Schwardt, who is quite sick.

Miss Lillian Thomas will be host at the next meeting of the C. C. C.'s October 29th, when Hallow'een pleasures will feature the occasion.

Mrs. Edward Bixby, Mrs. John Lowry, Miss Ella Culbertson, of Ironton, and Mrs. Charles Buchanan, of Pittsburg, were among recent autoists to this city in the Lowry auto.

Manly church Women's Aid society will meet in regular session Thursday afternoon in the church.

Mrs. Herbert Boring, who has been ill in bed, is able to be up.

The Elks will begin their season's entertainments with a card party Thursday evening under the management of the general committee: Dr. W. D. Tremper, Mr. H. S. Grimes and Mr. H. W. Miller.

The Thanksgivingtide dance will ben in charge of Messrs. R. E. Calvert, Lucien Doty and Dr. Fetter.

On January 6th a card party will be given with managers as follows: Judge George M. Osborn, Mr. John G. Dillon and Mr. W. M. Pursell.

On February 3d, a card party with Dr. W. G. Williamson, Mr. W. W. Anderson and Mr. Chris. Heer in charge.

March 3d, a card party with Mr. Paul Esselborn, Mr. Ed Stevens and Mr. Alan Jordan as committee.

March 31st, a card party with Judge John C. Milner, Messrs. John Heer and J. A. Hagar as committee in charge.

The Easter dance will be managed by Messrs. Guy V. Williams, Robert L. Gilbert and Paul Esselborn.

The committee for the regular monthly hops are as follows: Messrs. Karl Zoellner, Louis Corson and C. E. Nodler.

The First Baptist Temple Builders will meet with Mr. Gardner Burns, 494 Grant street, on Monday evening in business and social session.

Mr. Clarence Nodler has returned from a visit to relatives in Columbus.

All Saints Episcopal Junior Daughters of the King will meet Monday evening in the chapel.

A new class in dancing for beginners, opening Monday evening, November 1st, is announced by Mr. and Mrs. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gaulin, of Fullerton, have as a guest the latter's niece, Miss Isabel Cousadine, of Philadelphia. They took dinner at the Washington Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. M. Johnson will be host at this week's meeting of the Friday Bridge club.

Mrs. John Brushart will entertain the Parlor Whist club in Wednesday's regular session.

Mrs. P. M. Wolfe's visitor, her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Combs, has returned home to Chicago, stopping at Columbus to visit her nieces, Mrs. Marzetti and Miss Olive Davidson.

The Second Street Whist club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. R. Houston who returned Saturday from Wheeling, W. Va., her former home.

Mrs. Moses Lehman will entertain the Kaffee Klatch in regular session Thursday afternoon, at Seel's parlors.

Dr. Charles Pressler of Waverly spent Sunday at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pressler of East Fourth street.

Mrs. Ernest Everling and Mrs. Caroline Moritz returned Sunday from a week's visit to Mrs. Brame, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. J. Huston of Charleston, W. Va.

All Saints Episcopal Women's Auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. B. Kehoe of West Fourth. Members cordially urged to be present.

A former Portsmouth resident, Mrs. M. A. Bing was registered at hotel Washington while here on her way from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Louella Dutton of Gallipolis to Cincinnati to visit at the home of her son, Mr. Gus Bing.

Mrs. John Gregory of Fontana, Ky., was guest of Mr. S. R. Ross and daughter, Miss Anna, while here to attend the ceremonials of the re-interment of the remains of Major Belli, the grandfather of her late husband. Her former home here was among the houses which stood where now stands the Corner Book Store and Nickelodeon and Seels block.

All Bigelow women whose names begin with letters of the alphabet from E to L inclusive, are making ready to give one of Bigelow's noted suppers on Thursday evening from 5:30 to 8 o'clock and want everybody to come. The menu will be published later.

Among the week's events in the old French Grant will be the wedding of two of its most highly esteemed citizens Miss Avanel Kellogg to Mr. William Brush, whose farm homes almost adjoin and are ideally located.

Miss Maggie Lloyd is at home from Columbus where she visited a former Portsmouth resident, Mrs. A. G. Barlow on her way home from attendance at the branch meeting of W. F. M. S. at Wheeling, W. Va., where she went as delegate from Bigelow W. F. M. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drown came down from Columbus Saturday for a visit with home folks. Mrs. Drown's health has not been of the best and she will remain here for some time at the home of her father, Victor Smith of John street. Her husband returned on Monday to Columbus where he has a good position in the Riley shoe factory.

Rev. J. D. Herron visited Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Le Baron and daughters Misses May and Edith Le Baron, on the way home from Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Fullerton of Fairview were recent guests of their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Yost of Sciotoville.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Crabtree and children have returned from a visit to relatives in Pittsburg.

Mr. J. Lee Cross of Cleveland spent Sunday here as guest of his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Haldeman and his fiancee, Miss Miriam Peebles.

Mrs. R. P. Johnson has gone to Columbus to visit Mrs. Lizzie Marzette, a sister of Mrs. P. M. Wolfe.

Mrs. Ben Harris' mother, Mrs. Hershey has returned from a visit to relatives at Osborn.

Mrs. John Snyder will entertain the six hand euchre club on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Martin of East Sixth street recently entertained at dinner Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Cheney and guest Mrs. Anna M. Cheney of Richmond, Dr. Cheney's mother.

On Monday evening the hill top W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed McNally, corner of Lincoln and Clifford, in social session.

Trinity Queen Esther Circle will meet Monday evening at the home of Miss Maude Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alspaugh had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Prindle and baby and Mr. W. M. Prindle of Huntington, W. Va., who made the trip in their Buick touring car.

The Portsmouth Reading club will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. Margaret Fulton of East Second. The change for Monday to Tuesday evening was made to accommodate the majority of members who expect to attend the fine recital at All Saints chapel, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musicale.

Miss Blanche Treuthart came home from the East Suturday, leaving her mother Mrs. J. L. Treuthart at Bluefield, W. Va., to spend Sunday with her daughter, Miss Maude Treuthart, whose sister Mrs. G. P. Johnson with whom she resides, is enjoying a trip West with Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson of Roanoke, Va. Later Mr. Johnson will join the party.

Mrs. W. R. Fee and Mrs. Muriel Evans Larew will go to Cincinnati Wednesday to spend a few days. They will hear Damrosch's New York Symphony Thursday evening.

The Home League club will entertain with a "poverty social" Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Amann of Franklin avenue.

The Sciotoville M. E. Epworth League writes Portsmouth friends to their Hallow'een social Friday evening at the new hotel whose proprietors are Mrs. John Dressler, Mrs. W. C. Eakins, whose new hostelry has elicted much favorable comment from patrons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fee expect to move to their new home on East Fourth street next week. The house they vacate on Gallia street will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Vallee Harold.

The String Orchestra will meet for practice, Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Ida Mercer of East Ninth, when a name will be selected.

Mrs. J. P. Turner of Sciotoville will entertain with a Kensington from 2 to 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, in farewell honor to Mrs. Lorin Yost, who, with Mr. Yost, will soon go to Troy to reside.

Mrs. May Lawson arrived in the city Sunday from Billings, Montana, for a visit to the home of M. E. Hazlett, 1117 Lawson street.

Mrs. Homer Keller has returned from Findlay, her former home where she visited relatives.

The Buckeye club will hold the next meeting at Wheelersburg on Wednesday, weather permitting, or at the home of Mrs. Chris Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Simpson of Sciotoville, will occupy the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Yost of Sciotoville who soon will move to Troy.

Trinity Kings Heralds will meet at the home of Miss Louise McCall of New Fifth street Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller of East Eleventh are the proud parents of a new born baby a fine girl born to them Sunday.

Mrs. E. G. Naive who went to the O. W. U., Delaware, to see her daughter, Miss Beatrice, who is ill with diphtheria, telephoned home that her daughter is better.

Mrs. B. F. Harwood and sister Miss Callie Barker, Mrs. M. Losh and daughter-in-law Mrs. C. F. Losh were recently guests of Mrs. C. H. Whitt of Sciotoville.

Mrs. Earl T. Pursell and baby Edward Reed are visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. E. M. Seman of Delaware.

Judge F. L. Sikes' mother Mrs. Marion Sikes of Cripple Creek, Colo., is suffering with a broken arm, the result of a fall.

Loretta and Gertrude Bridwell of East Seventh street have returned from a visit to their brother Everitt at Washington C. H.

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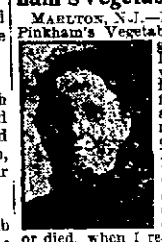

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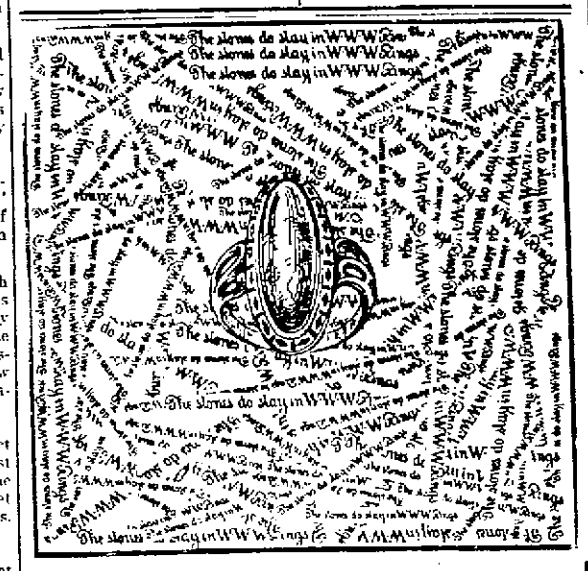

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Jim McKane, the well known hostler at Contractor Frank Seymour's stables, corner Fourth and Madison streets, was almost kicked to death by a mule Saturday evening.

McKane was engaged in shearing the mule's tail when the animal, without warning knocked him down, kicking him on the shoulder and left side of the head. Fellow employes went to his rescue and found him lying unconscious on the floor of the stall and bleeding from an ugly gash in the head. They summoned a physician who finally succeeded in reviving the injured man and later removed him to his home on West Fourth street.

Attorney Dean Is To Make the Race

Sunday's Ironton said:

"Despite the desperate efforts of certain politicians to prevent Attorney Ezra Dean from becoming a candidate for city solicitor and the arbitrary, unwarranted and shameful refusal of three members of the board of election deputies to allow his name to be placed in the ballots under the Democratic emblem, although Attorney General Denman ruled that he was eligible and that his name should be printed, the voters of Ironton who desire to see the office of city solicitor filled by an attorney who is in every manner qualified to fill the place and will give the office his conscientious attention if elected, will get the privilege of voting for Mr. Dean, as he has decided to make the race on the Independent ticket."

Hot Campaign In Old Greenup

The Republicans are making a spectacular campaign in Greenup county, Ky., and promise to keep it up until election day.

The campaign in the lower part of the county will close with a meeting at Schultz tonight. The candidates on the stump include Leo Thompson who is running for county judge and Pat Artis, who wants to be sheriff. They have a brass band of eight pieces and make the trips through the hills horseback and in wagons and buggies. They imported Hon. Houston Fitch of Vanceburg, to do the chief spell binding. Meetings have been held at Lynn, Oldtown, Fullerton and Leathwood but have not been productive of much good.

FIVE DRUNKS FACE MAYOR, MONDAY

Scenes at the Mayor's office on Monday morning, reminded one of ye olden times, for no less than five drunks faced the chief executive of the Peerless, and every one of them drew his regulation fine of $4.80.

Davy Clapper was the first one to face the court, and he was arrested at the instigation of Chas. Castle, who lives at The Incubator. Castle came rushing into the Mayor's office, Sunday night and complained that some one had attempted to enter his apartments. Officer McCarty was sent to the scene and he found quite a bunch of men raising cain in the soft drink establishment conducted by a fellow named Cullom. Clapper was found sprawled out in the middle of a room occupied by Martha Dowdy. He had fallen through the door, and was dead to the world. He was taken to the city jail, and when he faced the Mayor Monday morning he was still pretty well under the influence of liquor. He was questioned as to where he got his booze and stated that he had secured it from a fellow who got it first hand from old man Salley. The latter will be arrested under the charge of boot-legging, and if proven guilty will likely be sent on an excursion to the workhouse.

The next to face the bar of justice was John Fiste, who was found dead drunk in J. T. McCormick's stable on West Sixth street. He was arrested by Officer Dan Buckley.

Lucien Thornton a shoeworker, imbibed too freely, Saturday evening and going to the home of Barber Kink on John street, raised quite a disturbance. Sunday morning at 2:30 he was taken in tow by the police and slept off his jab in the city prison.

Charles Petterson, a Swede, who has faced the Mayor three times, was arrested at his boarding house on East Eighth street, Saturday evening, after he had driven his landlady, Mrs. Roberts, out of the house. The police are inclined to the belief that Petterson is a dope fiend, as he did not act particularly like one under the influence of strong drink. He had done enough devilment, however, to draw the usual fine.

Willis Calhoun, Jr., a painter, treated all sorts of commotion in a cigar store on Chillicothe street, Saturday evening and was ejected several times. He was afterward found at the corner of Ninth and Chillicothe street as drunk as a "biled" owl, having lost his coat and hat. He got the usual.

EVER HAVE IT?

If You Have, the Statement of This Portsmouth Citizen will Interest You.

Ever have a "blue-down" pain in the back?

Is the "small" right over the kidneys?

That's the home of backache. It's caused by sick kidneys.

That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Portsmouth people endorse this. Here's a case of it:

Mrs. Sarah Bickel, 97 E. Twelfth street, Portsmouth, Ohio, says: "My faith in the curative powers of Doan's Kidney Pills is greater today than when I publicly recommended them in December, 1904. I suffered severely from a constant, dull ache across the small of my back, coupled with a lameness through my loins. The trouble seemed to be worse in the morning. The passages of the kidney secretions were scanty and painful, and although I took a number of remedies, I failed to get relief. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention, I procured a box at Fisher & Streich's drug store and commenced their use. They went at once to the seat of the trouble and it was not long before the headache and other symptoms of kidney complaint had disappeared. Occasionally when I feel my kidneys need toning up, I take a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills and they always have the desired effect."

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ENG. PAYNE GIVES BOND

Ironton, O., Oct. 25.—J. Q. Payne, Portsmouth engineer of N. & W. passenger train No. 4, who was arrested early Saturday morning by Officers Mayne and Smith for running over the fire hose at the Union Iron and Steel furnace, was arraigned in Mayor Golden's court and entered a plea of not guilty to the charge. His hearing was set for next Thursday at 1 o'clock, and he was required to give bond in the sum of $100 for his appearance at that time. He gave the bond and was released.

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New Shop For Cigar Makers

A workshop has been fitted up for the cigarmakers employed by Mrs. Theo. Weichens' factory. It is located on the second floor of the building.

"MONEY"

Security Savings Bank has recently purchased several lots of bonds issued by the cities of Portsmouth and Cincinnati. These bonds are free from taxes and are offered to investors at attractive rates of income, being a choice investment because a bond of this character can be disposed of easily and turned into cash when desired. Any one seeking investment should call on the above named institution.

Mrs. Switalski Is Improving

Mrs. Frank Switalski, Sr., though not yet out of danger, continues slowly improving at the Jewish hospital in Cincinnati.

Greendale Made Riffle

The low water packet Greendale passed up Sunday morning with a big trip. The steamer had some difficulty getting past Bonanza bar. She maneuvered about for some time and got by through closely hugging the government dyke.

Something for nothing. See W. L. Wilhelm's ad.

Howard Cut Quite A Figure

Howard S. Paul, a dashing young barber at Sperry & Watters' shop, visited home folks at Chillicothe Sunday. They do say Howard's form fitting outfit took the natives by storm.

Returns to St. Mary's.

Charles Snyder, a former employe of the Ideal Manufacturing company, has returned from a several months' stay at his home in St. Mary's, O.

Stork Leaves Daughter.

Attorney and Mrs. Cecil S. Miller are the parents of a fine nine pound girl born Saturday evening.

Advance Man Here.

Jack Brehany, advance agent of the Paid In Full company, a coming attraction at the Grand, was at the Washington Saturday.

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Gentlemen:—I have suffered from burning, itching Eczema for 6 years, which tortured me so that I could not endure any underclothing on. My back, neck and face were one mass of eruptions, and I was so unsightly that I was ashamed to go out. About two months ago I commenced using Dr. Taylor's Remedy, and today I am cured. I hope this testimonial will come under the notice of other sufferers from this terrible disease, so that they also may get relief.

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Here From Columbus.

James Minery, who is now employed in a foundry at Columbus spent Sunday visiting Portsmouth friends.

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MUSSER AND GUSTIN.

Fillmore Musser is indisputably the best auditor in the state of Ohio. All other auditors, who want to improve the accounts of their offices, copy his methods. Not only that, so admirable are Mr. Musser's methods that they are even being copied into other states.

This is not a statement for campaign consumption only. The news columns of The Times, even in view of the well known fact that Mr. Musser was to be a candidate for re-election, long ago said as much. We have heard most strenuous assertion to the same effect by one of the most strenuous members of the celebrated "business men's council." We would not be stretching the fact, to say it is universally conceded Mr. Musser has made a most efficient auditor.

But see, notwithstanding this fact the gang defeated Mr. Musser for renomination, urging and ball-dozing from mornings over night and unto breakfast, unto this end, using the argument that he ought not to have his place a third time. That reason was both poor and insincere, worse than that, it was not the reason at all why the gang labored so hard to encompass his defeat. We see it was not because the gang used the same tactics to nominate Gustin that it used to defeat Musser. The former had been a deputy sheriff and sheriff for two terms and city marshal for several years. So the same rule, if it were a correct one, applies to him that would apply to Musser, as it makes no difference whether a man has had one office continuously, or several at various times, in determining his right to hold on longer in the public service. Yet the gang turned down Musser, the competent, and turned up Gustin, the incompetent, when a hundred capable Republicans could have been found to take the nomination given the latter. Why did it do it? That is dead easy to answer. Musser would not bow the knee to Boss Clark. Musser had an old fashioned idea that a public official owed allegiance only to the people and he was as persistent in carrying out his idea as he was efficient in doing his work. Gustin accepts the collar of the Boss meekly and willingly. His official records show he does not care to serve the people efficiently or he has not the capacity to do so. Nothing more than comparison between these two cases is necessary to show the people how to vote.

FALSE AND FUNNY.

The gang orators, unique in political history, in that they carry their audiences along with them, whenever they go out to speak their little pieces, are saying Nat Davidson will never be chief of police and apologizing to the railroad men for the insult hurled at them by their blundering gang organ, when it so exuberantly and exultant shouted: "It is back to the box car and the railroad ties for Natty, old sport."

That is false and it is funny. It reminds up somhow of the little "purp," which goes out and barks at the moon, but a cloud drifts over it goes back into his kennel with the fool idea that he has howled it out of existence. It is false to say Nat Davidson will never be chief of police. Not making a comparison, but just stating a solemn fact in an old form of expression, there are more ways of killing a dog than choking him to death with butter. If the supreme court does not hold Mayor Searcy's removal of Chief Bauens lawful, there are other lawful ways of accomplishing the same end. Just so sure as the cloud passes away from the face of the moon, Will Nat Davidson be chief of police.

And how excrutiatingly funny it is to have Boss Philo Clark's manikins going around apologizing for the foot breaks of his organ. It is enough to make a dog laugh.

THE CLOVEN HOOF.

At the inception of the campaign the gang organ started to raise the hue and cry that the present administration was wrecking and hurrying the city to bankruptcy by the vast schemes of public improvements it was entering upon. Soon finding this way a boomerang, it veered around and commenced claiming without rhyme or reason that gang administrations had made a bigger record at improvements than had the present city administration. When The Times met this by the official figure, showing that on an average the gang had paid $1.73 a front foot more for street paving and anywhere from 10 to 332 per cent more for sewer construction than its successors did for the same work, the gang organ again veered around and starting out with the claim that Searcy was costing the city a million dollars, it claimed the Democrats had run the bonded debt of the city up $150,000, subsequently running the figures up to $237,000, for good measure, we suppose. And here it shows the cloven foot good and proper.

It's loud lamentations over the increased city debt, are but as the cry of the crocodile, they are but attempted concealment of hostility to the policy of public improvement, the expression of a loud desire for the return of the good old days, when the gang had no speaking acquaintance with paved streets and sanitary sewers, when its henchmen in the waterworks plant got the cream of immediate profits and the fond hope of lines to rack and ruin, when there was nothing for the gang sters to do but to revel in salaries, incompetency and idleness and draw their means of gain.

Every citizen knows, or at least he should know, that an apparent increase in the bonded debt of a city is not all, nor in the greater part evidence of its actual debt. For instance when a street is paved, let us say at an estimated cost of ten thousand dollars one of the first acts is to issue bonds for that amount. The amount raised by their sale is applied to the payment of the contractors. Subsequently assessment is made upon the property abutting upon the street to pay the portion of the paving of cost chargeable to it, the far greater part. The sums thus assessed are payable in cash or in ten yearly installments without interest, at the option of the individual property owners. Thus while the city assumes the responsibility of the bonds, payment of the bigger part of them is really made by the property owners. In other words the city pays the lesser part on the assumption that the whole public gets general benefit from a paved street, while the property owners pay the greater part because they get more and special benefit, in that the value of their property is increased. This is the law and it is a just law at that.

Just by way of comparison let us admit, that the present administration has increased the city bonded debt $150,000 for paving streets. If the same amount of work had been done by the gang instead, the debt would have been increased to $229,500, for the gang paid on an average 53 per cent more on paving contracts than the present administration has paid. Not even the gang organ has the timerity to deny these figures, because they are official, it only attempts to avoid them by the excuse that wages and material have been that much cheaper the past two years, but everyone knows that is not the case.

THE "GOOD AND DECENT."

In a speech at Flood & Blake's hall Wednesday night Charles Schirrmann, gang candidate for city auditor, insulted the Democratic voters of Portsmouth by declaring that "up North all the good and decent people were in the Republican party."

Mr. Schirrmann also handed it to the colored brethren by remarking in the next breath that "down south all the good and decent people were in the Democratic party."

And this man has the nerve, however, to ask Democrats to vote for him, while he confidently boasts that he will get every negro vote in Portsmouth.

THE TAX LEVY.

"Save us from the blunders of the Portsmouth Blade."

That is the Macedonian cry for help that is going up from the Clark gang candidates.

Saturday night it perpetrated another of its monumental blunders. It said the Democrats were responsible for the tax rate being $3.50.

The Democrats have not raised the city tax levy one mill since they have been in office. This year, in the face of the loss of saloon revenue, they kept the city levy down.

Year by year the tax levy of the school board, nearly always solidly Republican, has gone up. The county levy, every county officer being Republican, has also increased enormously. It was responsible for the jump from $3.40 to $3.50.

A CASE OF BIRTH.

Charles Schirrmann is busily begging support of the German voters of the city on the ground that he is a German too, while he says his opponent is just a newcomer from Pike county. If Mr. Schirrmann wants to make that kind of an issue, Mr. Gabelman, his opponent, would be pleased to meet him in joint debate, and compare ancestry. On both sides Mr. Gabelman is of German descent. Many years ago his grandfather, Philip Gabelman, Sr., was a cabinet maker at the old Nichols Furniture Co., on Front street and was an honored resident of Portsmouth. Mr. Gabelman's father removed to Waverly where he became a teacher in German in the Waverly public schools and later became mayor and justice of the peace. That is the kind of stock Will Gabelman, Democratic candidate for auditor comes from. He came to Portsmouth as soon as he became of age and has resided here since, making his own way. He is competent and reliable. He will make a splendid official.

On the other hand, Mr. Schirrmann has been a persistent office seeker. He began his political career by peddling to Philo S. Clark a story to the effect that Frank B. Finney, brother-in-law of D. W. Gustin, had tried to "pull his leg" for $500. In that way Schirrmann made a deal with Mr. Clark. Ever since then Clark has either kept Schirrmann in office or has been trying to put him in office.

KEEP UP STANDARD.

The past week The Times had something to say of the personnel of the Democratic candidates on the city ticket. It spoke of its pleasure at the fact that in its entirety the ticket was admitted on every hand to be not only the best the Democrats, but any party had put before the voters of Portsmouth. It had strong words of praise of those whom it mentioned as part of the nominees and it again rejoices that it can say quite as much of others remaining.

First come the candidates for councilmen from the several wards. These are Frank Schmank in the First, John Linck in the Second, William Gergens in the Third and Charles L. Fink in the Fourth. Mr. Schmank, who is a contracting stone mason, is now a member of council. No man possesses a better reputation for keeping the letter and spirit of his contract than he. He never botches nor slights a job. It is just the same way with his work in council. He is as solid and steadfast to the interests of the people and the city as a stone wall. We have heard it said, and his record bears it out, that he was an ideal public servant. Never did he "go off his feet," but calmly and certainly he went right to the merit of any legislation or action, advocating everything surely good and right and nothing bad or doubtful. No doubt seems to be entertained of the endorsement of his due record by his constituents of the old First. John Linck is a master barber, who enjoys the distinction of having been born in the Second ward and lived therein all of his honorable and useful life. It is a characteristic of Mr. Linck to be painstaking and thorough-going. Never hurrying to a conclusion, he gets all the facts, digests them and then forms his conclusions. Not much of a talker, he is true to his sturdy German ancestry, much of a thinker and doer. It is because of reliability and capable understanding that he has risen to the position of a chief officer in that big order of the Harugari. As a public official he could not be budged from what is right and the best of it is he would have to be sure he was right before he went ahead. He is not one to lash ahead, nor to pull back. What ever is really for the good of Portsmouth he will be found favoring, whatever is to her ill he will be found opposing.

We do not know of higher or more deserved compliment to pay William Gergens than to say in council, where he is now, he ranks with his fellow members and candidates, William E. Cook and Frank Schmank. Mr. Gergens is a shoeworker. He has been in one factory for years and years, and he is extremely popular among his fellow craftsmen whose intelligence and skill have been for so many years a mainstay in the prosperity and progress of the town. But his popularity is by no means confined to them alone as is shown by his big majority in the Third, a heavily Republican ward, in which there are not a great many shoeworkers. With splendid zeal and intelligence he has devoted himself to his duties as councilman. Not one to let his enthusiasm run away with his judgment his views ever carried weight and he was a most essential factor in writing this council as the best Portsmouth ever had, a council which did the best and most in an economical way. Another, Charles L. Fink is a Norfolk and Western engineer. If you know railroad engineers you will concede there is no grander class of men on earth. You will find every one of them big hearted and true. They have got to be true, they have got to be steady and they have got to think clear, quick and decisively because they climb up through trial and hold on by merit. It is not by chance or favor that every day, every hour and every minute the safety of precious cargo and more precious lives is confided to them, but because they have been tried and have been found equal to the responsibility. Mr. Fink ranks both among the best of engineers and among the best of men. He has a family and a home here in Portsmouth, he has taken his place in her citizenship, keenly observant and alert to all the duties thereof. To him the town is as a locomotive, all whose parts must be in order and working smoothly to pull ahead. He believes in pulling ahead, but keeping a keen look-out that the track is clear, and could be counted on his part to keeping the municipal machinery oiled and steam up.

Just how much attention the voters of Portsmouth are giving to the question of land appraisers we do not know. Yet the choice of right men as such vitally concerns them. Scarce any other offices affect them so directly in a financial way. Two great problems will present themselves to the land appraisers. The valuation of Portsmouth realty on the same basis as other towns in the state, so that her people may not pay more taxes into the state treasury than is their just proportion, and the equitable assessment of relative values in the city and one property as compared with another. To reach right conclusion it is necessary the men shall have fair judgment, impartiality and intimate knowledge of the city. It is to be regarded as peculiarity fortunate that the Democrats have nominated for appraisers men who are in wide possession of these qualities and this information. J. J. Brushart, one of the nominees, is a grocer. His honesty and his desire to do the square thing is not to be questioned. In a way he possesses special qualifications for the position. He has served for years as a director of a building association where questions of property values come up at every weekly meeting, he is serving in council at present with great zeal and interest in public affairs. He knows the town from end to end and from side to side and no doubt, all things considered, that there is another man more familiar with every section of it than he. Melvin Funk, wholesale buyer of timber and lumber manufacturer, is another nominee, and one who is a credit to any ticket anywhere he is placed. A man of much native ability and force of character he is esteemed for his vigorous insight and clear judgment of any subject. By his own processes, looking only to the facts and merits, he forms his opinions and so maintains them. When he consented to valuation of a certain piece of property it would be solely because he considered it right and fair. In Herman Huels, Sr., proprietor of the Portsmouth dyeing and renovating works, a most admirable selection has been made for appraiser. His name and reputation stand for solidity, honor and integrity. His acquaintance with the value of city property will be most helpful to perfect work by the board of appraisers. For more than twenty years he has been a director of the German Building and Loan association and his position as a member of the building committee has made it necessary for him to familiarize himself with the worth of property all over town. There is no need to say he has done this as faithfully and intelligently as it could be done, he never does a thing any other way. A counterpart of Mr. Huels is to be found in Ernest Herman, queensware dealer, and also a candidate for place on the board. He is safe and reliable in any capacity and there are many who do not hesitate to say that as a judge of real estate values he has no superior. Certain it is anyway than in disposition and information, close study of just this sort of work, he is exceptionally well suited to it. In Peter S. Revare, one of the proprietors of the Portsmouth carpet cleaning and renovating works, the Democrats have another good man and candidate. He has grown up with the town and observed its development. If there is any part of it with which he is not well acquainted, it can not be found. A man without prejudices, with a mind disposed to hear all and decide justly, he would bring to his position a purpose to serve the people best, place no burden on any man that was not just and take from him none that was not fair to all.

RUSSIAN TACTICS.

Some of the notorious heelers and character assassins who trail about in the shadow of Boss Philo Clark, are getting very sensitive these days. They have been sending word down to The Times office that they are going to whip somebody if The Times don't quit exposing them.

We are used to these sorts of messages. It isn't the first time nor will it be the last, we presume, that some person tried to bull-doze or blackmail The Times editors. The only comment we have to make on the threats of the Clark heelers is this:

The Clark gang may get in its bluff on some soft drink proprietors by threats of filing trumped-up charges or of having their places raided by the Anti-Saloon league.

The Clark heelers may act as spies and informers for the Anti-Saloon league or any other league, in their efforts to Russianize Portsmouth and frighten people into voting for Gustin.

The Clark heelers may even pretend to "have a pull" with courts of justice, in their mad efforts to scare or deceive the unwary, thereby bringing honest and incorruptible courts into disrepute.

The Clark gang heelers may do all this but they ain't scarin' us a bit by their talk about lickin' an editor.

And, among others, this is said for the benefit of the notorious Monge Henderson, who has started as many campaign lies on Democrats and anti-gangsters as even Satan and his side-partner, Old Hig, ever even dreamed of.

JUDGE BALL ACTIVE.

The Times is interested to note that Harry Ball, of the Anti-Saloon league, is engaged in making speeches for D. W. Gustin and the Clark gang ticket.

What with leading sensational and spectacular raids on soft drink parlors, gathering up evidence or alleged evidence against diverse persons in the city and making speeches for the "Republican" ticket, these must be busy days for Ball.

P. S.—This is the same Ball who beat Harry Bannon for congress, by betraying him.

PROTESTS TOO MUCH.

One of the Shakespeare-ian characters remarked truly "Verily, he doth protest too much."

That is the way one feels in reading the scare-head daily explanation of the Blade about D. W. Gustin's labor record. Pretending to know that somebody is going to accuse Gustin of having employed non-union labor in building a house or two, the Blade has gustin "interviewed" and duly declares he always employed union men, that he had no use for non-union men, etc., etc.

The Times has not accused Gustin having any record either for or against union labor. Why then this alarm, this daily explanation? Is the gang and Gustin trying to raise enough dust to hide some dark deed of treachery on the part of Gustin to union labor?

Does it not look strange to you, Mr. Union Man, when you think it over?

THE GLAD HAND.

The Times is charmed and delighted to welcome two new perspiring and hard-working neophytes into the newspaper world. They are our friends Judge Milner and Edgar Millar. The Judge and Edgar have taken charge of the political columns of the Blade during the campaign upon the assumption that Hard can't run his own paper and has no one under salary able to do it for him. Mr. Tomlinson has the privilege of carrying Edgar's stuff to the office while Hard personally goes after the writings of the Judge.

The Times extends greetings to these noble compatriots in a grand cause but they are in d——— bad company for a starter.

Home From Exposition.

Mrs. Ruth Moore of the West Side, has returned from a visit to the Seattle Exposition.

SOFT HATS FOR FALL

Soft hats are preferred by many well dressed men because they lend distinction to the appearance — soften the lines of the face — emphasize the personality. Among our variety of styles in

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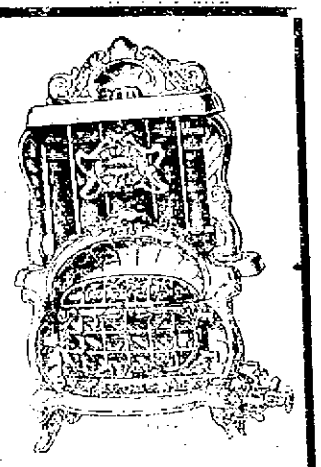

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WANTED— Molders, eight floor and two bench on heater work. Day work. Good pay. Steady employment. The Peck-Williamson Foundry Co., Cincinnati, O. 20-5

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WANTED—To borrow $1,500 on good security. Call Home phone B 752, or address G. G., care Times office. 25-3

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WANTED— Grubbing persons who care to make money. Apply at once. Write X care Times office. 23-3

WANTED— Washing to do. Miss Pearl Locher, 216 West Fourth. 25-3

WANTED—2 gentlemen boarders, 828 Offnere street. Bath. 22-3

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FOR SALE—A 9 by 12 Brussels rug. Call at 419 Waller St. 25-3

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FOR SALE—Two year old Gordon setter. Joe Schaefer, 216 Market street. 25-3

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FOR SALE—Toy French Poodle dog, male, aged 5 months, weight 3 pounds. A beauty. Price $12. Call 661 Robinson avenue. Home phone X 1257. 22-3

FOR SALE—Six room, two story house on Grandview avenue on paved street. Has gas, cellar, cistern, slate roof and barn. Lot 35x135. A bargain at $2300. Easy terms. Four room cottage on East Ninth street near Waller. Price $1650. Easy terms. Good lot 30x213 on Robinson avenue. $850. Good lot on hill 32x120, $550. J. E. Shamp, Home phone A 672. 1146 Grandview avenue. 21-4

FOR SALE—Cheap one parlor organ. Call at Swickerts grocery. 22-tf

FOR SALE—One fine delivery horse and one fresh cow. Joe Prather. Home phone, Wheelersburg Exchange. 21-3

FOR SALE— Stereotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office. tf

FOR SALE—Or will trade for city property, my residence in Sciotoville, O. Frank L. Sikes, Turley Building. 22-3

FOR SALE— Fine bird dog at 812 Gay. 16-tf

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FOR RENT—Small 4 room house. Rent can be paid by washing and ironing. Inquire Mrs. Geo. Mathews, Brown and Jackson. 25-tf

FOR RENT—Room suitable for one or two gentlemen. 45 East Fourth street. 25-3

FOR RENT—Two fine rooms furnished. Inquire of Mrs. John A. Grimes, corner Second and Sinton. Home phone No. 1070. 25-tf

FOR RENT—8 room house with bath, large lot and large barn at 507 Vinton avenue. See Dr. Halderman. 25-3

FOR RENT—4 room house on Kendall avenue, rear 1046 Kendall. Inquire 1046 Kendall. 25-3

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished front room with bath. 76 East Ninth street. 22-4

FOR RENT— 1 furnished front room, up stairs. 70 Gallia. 22-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room 26 East Seventh street. 23-3

FOR RENT—Three room cottage 23 East Fourteenth street. Inquire of Edward Doerr, 1401 Findlay street. 23-3

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room. Corner Fifth and Washington. 23-5

FOR RENT—A furnished room for light house keeping. Call 324 Robinson avenue. 23-2

FOR RENT—A 6 room house at 65 East Eighth street. Call on Salem Shaw, 44, 46, 48 West Second. 23-3

FOR RENT— Furnished room with bath. 86 East Fourth. 23-3

FOR RENT— Furnished rooms with bath. 21 East Eighth. 19-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished front room down stairs, with bath. 149 East Ninth St. 9-tf

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LOST—Pair of gold cuff buttons engraved "Effie." Reward for return to 65 West Front. 23-3

LOST—Plain gold ring with name "Vida" engraved inside, between my home and Greenlawn. Return to Mrs. Fred Ruhlman, 378 Grant street for reward. 23-2

LOST—Nose glasses attached to gold chain and hook. Finder please return to Times, office. 25-3

LOST—Near Timmonds farm Sunday, pair of eye glasses with short chain attached. Reward paid finder for return to S. R. Ross, 309 Court street. 25-1

LOST—Brown pocket book on Fourth, Chillicothe, Gallia or Eleventh streets. Finder please return to 123 West Fourth and receive reward. 25-1

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LAUFFER CASE BEING HEARD

When the case of Otto Lauffer, of the Portsmouth Brewing Co. charged with violating the Rose law, came up for hearing in Judge Blair's court Monday afternoon, it developed a series of sensations.

In the first place, Judge John C. Miller loomed up in the staff of anti-saloon league lawyers who are prosecuting the case. There was Prosecutor Moulton, Judge Harry Ball and Judge Milner on the one side and Hon. Henry T. Bannon and Judge Noah J. Dever defending Lauffer.

Judge Blair overruled the affidavit of prejudice and insisted on hearing this case. He said however, he would get off the bench in the 10 joint affidavits filed against Lauffer and Paul Esselborn in case he could find a judge.

Lauffer was put on the stand and asked by Blair why he thought him prejudiced. Lauffer said in substance, it was because Blair was running the anti-saloon league.

Attorney Bannon put John T. Breece on the stand in an effort to show Blair was prejudiced and could not give liquor men a fair hearing. In a question he rather intimated there had been some collusion or understanding where by Mr. Breece was put on a recent grand jury. This seemed to ruffle up Judge Blair and there was a lively tilt between Judge Blair and Bannon in which Bannon escaped being held in contempt of court. Mr. Breece said he just happened in the court room that morning and had no previous knowledge of going on the grand jury. He admitted Judge Blair was at the head of the law enforcement committee recently formed and said he was active in its councils.

Judge Blair, having decided to hold the fort, the case proceeded. The charge against Lauffer is that he accepted money from people on the street for beer, turned same into the brewery office and that beer was shipped to them. This was alleged to be a violation of the Rose law.

The witnesses against Lauffer were about the same as those against Paul Esselborn in his recent case, some 15 or 20 being present. Lauffer's attorneys objected repeatedly, indicating an intention to carry up the case.

Bookkeeper George Zeisler, of the brewery, said no beer was delivered from the brewery to customers for whom Lauffer would bring in money. The money would be sent to Gallipolis and the beer shipped from that city.

Mr. Zeisler insisted no beer had been shipped direct from the Brewery. He said it was the policy of the company to never violate the law knowingly.

Mr. Zeisler said that if the Brewery had wanted to violate the law, it could have sold over $10000 worth of beer on July 4th alone.

Wharfmaster Harry Donley and his records came next. He said beer came consigned to individual persons.

Judge Blair evinced a decided curiosity to know who was getting beer and ordered Donley to read the list of shipments from his record. Donley read about 20 names of men and the crowd present sat up and took notice.

After the 20 names had been read, Mr. Bannon objected as it just encumbered the record and Judge Blair told Donley he need read no more.

The case is still in progress.

CORRECT

Shapes in hats at Schwartz's.

Rubber footwear at Wolfe's.

Brick Trouble Was Settled

The small strike which was inaugurated Saturday at the plant of the Portsmouth Paving Brick company was settled satisfactorily and all of the men except one came back to work Monday. The settlement was made on a basis of wages paid in some of the other paving brick plants of the vicinity. Some of them paying more for the special kind of work, about which the men quit.

It was stated at the brick company office that all was again harmonious.

Try Wolfe's shoes. 23-2

Backed By Wanamaker

According to the Ironton Register the proposed new traction line to operate between Pittsburg and Cincinnati, and which will traverse the counties of Lawrence, Scioto and Gallia, is backed by the wealthy and powerful Wanamaker interests of the east.

MRS. LIZZIE COLLEY DIES ON MONDAY

Mrs. Lizzie Colley, aged 19, who returned here from Cincinnati several weeks ago, broken in health, died of consumption at the home of her mother, Mrs. Dora Swords, of No. 220 Court street, Sunday night. She is survived by her husband Frank Colley and a one year old baby.

Burial will take place in the Mershon cemetery at Pond Creek Tuesday afternoon.

Ankle Was Sprained.

W. H. Tewell, a traveling salesman, in attempting to prevent a horse, he was driving, from running away, was thrown from the buggy and suffered a badly sprained ankle and torn clothes, Monday afternoon at the corner of Gallia and Campbell avenues.

WOMAN WAS KILLED BY TRAIN AT CLARE

A dispute has arisen over the killing of a woman named Langhorn at Clare, near Cincinnati on Sunday morning. Panhandle officials deny that any of their trains run over the woman and N. & W. officials are equally positive that none of their trains struck the woman.

Ministers Meet.

At the meeting of the Ministerial Association today Rev. John W. Dillon preached a sermon, his subject being "The Wages of Sin is Death."

GETS PERMIT TO BUILD

Fred Ashley took out a building permit Monday for a new two story 5-room house on Grandview avenue to cost $1300.

Hit Squire With Rock.

Some miscreants hurled rocks at a C. & O. passenger train near Louisville and seriously injured Squire Wash Enyart, who resides near Ashland, a rock striking the venerable squire on the head and inflicting a serious gash.

Our store will be open this evening and we cash N. & W. pay checks. The Haas Clothing Co.

Finch work shoes at Wolfe's.

Charged With Embezzlement

Constable John Snyder of New Boston, faced an embezzlement charge in Squire Hall's court on Monday noon.

The affidavit against Snyder was filed by Mrs. Catherine Fisher wife of the late Druggist John C. Fisher. He was charged with embezzling $22. Snyder was given an opportunity to consult an attorney before arraigned and retained R. C. Myers.

After a conference of attorneys and Snyder had paid over a certain sum, the charges were withdrawn. It seems Snyder was retained by the late John C. Fisher to collect a bill of $37.50 from a Mrs. O'Neal. He to get one-half for collection. Prior to Fisher's death a payment of $5 had been made to him by Snyder, but there had been no settlement with the estate since. Altogether Snyder had collected $22 from Mrs. O'Neal. In the settlement a claim of Snyder against John C. Fisher for $5, he claims to have loaned Fisher, also figured, but was not allowed. Mr. Snyder finally paid over a small sum and the case was dropped.

There does not seem to have been any intention on the part of Mr. Snyder to defraud any one. He thought he was acting right in delaying a settlement, until he could get his loan back.

1,700 PEOPLE SEE WORLDS SERIES

Manager J. F. Potts, of the Arcona theater on Gallia street, scored a ten-strike in the securing of the films of the first game between Pittsburg and Detroit. The pictures were reproduced at his popular and cozy playhouse Saturday afternoon and night, and the attendance reached the 1700 mark. Had the weather been at all favorable it is thought teh attendance figures would have reached 2500.

The attraction cost Manager Potts almost three times his regular bill, but he had the satisfaction of being right up to the minute and his patrons were more than pleased with his offerings. He is now negotiating for the last game of the series. Manager Potts is there 40 different ways when it comes to being progressive.

GOES ON WAR PATH

Ike Hill, a worthless youth, went on the warpath again at the "Incubator" Monday. Hill paraded around with a shot gun and threatened to blow up everything in sight. Officer Buckley hurried to the scene but Ikey cut down over the river bank and made his escape to Kentucky.

LITTLE TOT WAS LOST

Dorothy, a 3-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mullack, of South Portsmouth, was reported lost Monday morning. The mother was calling on Dan Crawford's family and sent the child to Frank Dever's grocery after some candy when she wandered away. Police assisted in the search. The tot got as far as Andy Wolfe's store on East Eleventh street. Mr. Wolf took care of her until the mother arrived.

Married In Elk Building

The first wedding that ever took place in the Elk building was solemnized at Mrs. Musser's apartments Monday noon.

The principals were Miss Bessie Vincent a pretty shoeworker and George W. Angele of Pittsburg. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Eason pastor of Bigelow Methodist church. The happy couple have rented apartments at the Elk building and will at once go to housekeeping. Miss Vincent was married on her 19th birthday anniversary.

Specimen Taken to School.

High school pupils today carried the archaeological specimen given them by John Gerding from Faivre's shop to the high school building. Mr. Gerding was formerly a Portsmouth school boy and has a friendly feeling for the school. He was given a vote of thanks by the teachers and pupils.

Rumors of A Wedding

It is reported that Merle Rambo, a tinner of Lawson street and Miss Bessie Schuler, a daughter of Louis Mills, will be wedded at the home of Rev. Freeman Chase, on next Wednesday evening. Mr. Rambo is a popular member of the Bohemian club.

To Re-Engage In Business

Dan M. Ryan has decided not to go to California just yet and will re-engage in business here shortly.

Elias Mershon appeared on the streets with a newly painted interstate baggage wagon and Elias is the proudest man in the West End, too.

Miss Kate Ford is having the foundation raised of her property at No. 254 West Second street.

Those Corpuscles

In your blood,—red and white,—keep you well if they are healthy, cause you sickness if diseased.

To make and keep them abundant and healthy, is to have pure blood, freedom from disease and vigorous health.

The chief purpose of Hood's Sarsaparilla is to do this, and its success is attended by thousands of wonderful cures. Cures of all blood diseases, scrofula, eczema, rheumatism, catarrh.

Get it today in the usual liquid form or in chocolated tablet form called Sarsatabs.

Heart Is Pierced But Man Will Live

His heart and lungs pierced by broken ribs, George Wolk, a brother-in-law of Captain Joe Dydynski, the Buena Vista steamboat man, and who was run over by a heavy wagon in Cincinnati recently, now bids fair to recover.

Wolk's escape from death was miraculous and at the time of the accident it was the opinion of the attending physicians that he could not possibly survive. One rib pierced his heart and three were found to have penetrated through the lungs. Five of his ribs were fractured and besides his entire body was covered with cut and bruises. Wolk was employed as driver for the National Biscuit company and had a 20-mile route. He was on his way from Newtown to Cleves when in sharply rounding a curve the wheels struck against the curb and upset the wagon. Wolks was caught underneath the wagon which contained 1865 loaves of bread and 257 dozen of rolls. His left arm was also broken in the accident. Capt. Dydynski has just received word that he is much improved and that his chances for recovery are decidedly better.

Drops Dead Of Heart Failure

W. H. H. Ingles, aged 82, a retired resident of 121 Mill street, dropped dead of heart failure at his home shortly after the noon hour, Monday.

The death of Mr. Ingles came without a moment's warning. He had just arisen from the dinner table and just as he got to the steps leading from the house down into the yard he pitched forward, dead.

Coroner O. W. Robb, who was summoned to the scene when it was found impossible to resuscitate the unfortunate man, gave it as his opinion that the death of Mr. Ingles had been caused by muscular contraction of the heart, superinduced by old age.

Mr. Ingles was well known in this city, having spent practically all his lief hede. He was born near Junior Furnace, on the 30th of April, 1827. He married Miss Elizabeth Hardin and for a time followed the occupation of a farmer. Coeing to this city about 47 years ago, he found employment at the old Gaylord iron mills. Several years prior to 69, Mr. Ingels served as a Democratic justice of the peace. Retiring in '69, he left for Illinois, where he remained for several years, eventually returning to Portsmouth. The last five years of his life had been spent practically in retirement.

Those who survive Mr. Ingles are his sons Harry, a grocer of East Front street, Stephen, employed as an engineer, and two daughters, Mrs. Frances Bronzo, of Grandview avenue and Mrs. Columbus.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning. Rev. Eason of the Bigelow church, to which denomination Mr. Ingles belonged, will have charge of the services. Interment will be at Greenlawn.

JOHN ECK DIES AT COLUMBUS

Word was received in the city Monday that John Eck, a well known former Portsmouth barber, had died at Columbus Sunday evening. He passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eck, after a hopeless struggle with tuberculosis.

Mr. Eck was quite well known in this city, where he possessed many friends who will be deeply pained to learn of his untimely death. He was married and had a family. He also leaves two brothers, Neil and George, of 1324 Park avenue, and a sister, Mrs. J. T. Walters, of West Ninth street.

The body will be brought to this city at noon Tuesday and taken to the home of his sister on West Ninth, where the funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon.

Our store will be open this evening and we cash N. & W. pay checks. The Haas Clothing Co.

REV. ROGERS' DAUGHTER DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Charles Coverston today received a letter from Stockton, California, from Rev. James H. Rogers, stating that his oldest daughter, Louise, died October 17. Rev. Rogers formerly belonged to the Ohio conference of the M. E. church and was an Old Town circuit for quite a while. He and his family are well and pleasantly remembered by friends on the West Side and in the city. His daughter was never married.

WITH THE PATIENTS AT HEMPSTEAD HOSPITAL

E. W. Lawson, an N. & W. employe, who had a leg broken by a timber falling on him recently, left Hemnstead hospital Monday for his home in Virginia. John Williams, a Biggs House boarder, who received treatment at the hospital, was also dismissed Monday.

FORM PARTNERSHIP

Mrs. Lucy Melvin Whitfield and Mrs. Nettie Lewis Turner, two well known colored women of the North End, have formed a partnership and will cater to those persons who desire to give fashionable luncheons. They have also decided to furnish parties with carefully prepared luncheons as well as serve them.

OHIO AT GOOD BOATING STAGE

The Ohio has developed a coal boat stage at Pittsburg and eight feet of water is reported at Wheeling. The Pittsburg coal fleet started out Monday with millions of bushels of coal. The big packets, too, are preparing to resume their trips. The Greenland will start out of Cincinnati Tuesday night.

ATTRACTIVE

Shirts at Schwartz's.

LICENSED TO MARRY

George W. Angle, 21, laborer of Pittsburg and Bessie Vincent, 19, this city. Rev. Eason.

SHIRT SLEEVE TORN OFF BY REVOLVING BELT

A rumor went over the city on Monday afternoon, that Charles Wise, shoeworker of Offnere street, had had his arm cut off near the shoulder at the Selby plant. The Times traced the rumor down and learns that it was greatly exaggerated, although Wise had a close call from suffering that sort of an injury. It seems the belt on his machine flew off and caught him about the arm. He was dragged a few feet, but fortunately his shirt tore at the shoulder and the sleeve was ripped out. Outside of a scare, Wise was none the worse off for his experience.

OPENED OLD WOUND NEARLY BLED TO DEATH

The re-opening of a wound almost caused William H. Cooper, a gardener and peddler, of Henley, to bleed to death Sunday.

Cooper cut his hand in removing some stove pipes from a wagon and after bandaging the member paid no further attention to his wound. He attended market here Thursday but upon his return home that night the wound began bleeding. He was unable to stop the flow of blood Friday and Saturday and finally he became so weak that he became alarmed. Relatives assisted him to the city Sunday and brought him to Dr. Fulton's office.

Ex-Auditor Indicted.

Among the indictments returned at Chillicothe, was one against Chas. H. Pinto, for bribery. Mr. Pinto was the retiring auditor of Ross county and his indictment has caused a sensation.

Flint Osborn, a son of Dr. Geo. Osborn of Dry Run, has returned from Springfield, where he has been employed with the International Harvester company.

Home from Cincinnati.

Will Clayton, superintendent of the Front street Irving Drew shoe factory, returned home Saturday night from a few days' business visit to Cincinnati.

Ex-Sheriff Keiter has succeeded Charles Stump as night man at the Southern Express Company's depot.

BLAIR REFUSES TO GRANT NEW TRIAL

A sharp tilt between Judge Blair and Attorneys Henry Bannon and Noah J. Dever, who are counsel for Paul Esselborn, enlivened the arguments for a new trial in the Esselborn case, which occupied nearly the whole of Monday morning's session of common pleas court. The passage of words grew out of the attorneys' plea for a new trial on one ground of newly discovered evidence. In all, four principal grounds had been assigned for a new trial.

This new evidence was in the form of an affidavit from the wharfmaster at Catlettsburg, to which was attached all bills of lading for beer shipments between June 1 and September 16, the dates named in this warrant. They were to be exhibited to show that upon no occasion during this time was there any beer consigned back here direct to the brewery.

Judge Blair was evidently unprepared for this move and with some heat announced that he would refuse to admit the testimony so long after the case was closed. The judge said he had informed both sides that they could bring in additional testimony, before the finding was made.

Judge Dever, for the defense, was equally pointed in his retort. He said that defendant's attorneys had to go into the Esselborn case without any notion of the state's testimony, or what sort of a defense to prepare. The state, he said, had jumped around into every form of inquiry and the defense had not the opportunity to make a prompt defense.

Judge Blair then wanted to know why this affidavit and the bills of lading were not produced at the trial. It was in vain that Judge Dever argued that the Catlettsburg wharfmaster was in another state and without the jurisdiction of this court. Judge Blair promptly overruled this ground for a new trial.

Both Attorneys Bannon and Dever made arguments for the new trial. Mr. Bannon once more insisted that the brewing company had conducted its business from Catlettsburg, strictly within the provisions of the interstate commerce law. He read a number of decisions favoring his contention, and found a number of holdings to discredit the Vermont decision upon which Judge Blair had relied so strongly in his finding. Mr. Bannon went so far as to say that this Vermont case had been frowned upon by every court wherein it has been cited.

The other ground for a new trial argued by Mr. Bannon related to the method upon which all these bench warrant cases have been tried. He argues that the lack of an indictment, of a trial by jury and the failure of the accused to know upon what specific charge he is to be tried and other new procedures under this law, are all contrary to the constitution. Mr. Bannon doubtless relies upon these matters to upset the verdict in the event he takes the case up to test the constitutionality of this law.

Judge Dever advanced one other argument, which was most original in its character, and if sustained would knock out all the prosecutions under these so-called search and seizure cases. In no place in the Rose law is it set out that prosecutions can be made upon mere affidavit only and without a jury. Instead, Judge Dever finds the words indictment and jury used specifically in providing for prosecutions under the Rose law. In the Jones resident district law, there was a special provision for bench warrants and trials to the court and Judge Dever insisted that this method did not extend to the Rose law violations.

Both Prosecutor Moulton and Judge Ball made brief arguments against granting a new trial and in replying to Judge Dever's original proposition, Prosecutor Moulton read the provisions of the Wood bill on the subject. It expressly provides that affidavits can be filed before a judge and trials had before him without a jury.

The Hurth case had been set for the first thing Monday morning, but as the same attorneys were involved and the same questions were involved in both the Hurth and Esselborn cases, these matters were presented first. When the attorneys had finished Judge Blair overruled the motions for a new trial in the Esselborn case and also the demurrer in the Hurth case. The Hurth case was then begun and two witnesses examined before the hour for the noon adjournment.

Just Received

A Barrel of New Orleans Molasses

J. J. BRUSHART
THE CASH GROCER.

HUNTING FOR A GOVERNOR

Sunday's Columbus Journal contained a political story to the effect that the Republican organization has been making strenuous efforts to get one of Ohio's Federal Judges to make the race for governor against Harmon next year. Overtures had been made both to Judge A. C. Thompson, formerly of this city, now of Cincinnati and also to Judge R. W. Tayler of Cleveland. The article stated that Judge Thompson pleaded age and that Tayler was not disposed to run for an elective office. The indications now point to either Carmi Thompson or Warren G. Harding, said the Journal, with chances favoring the Marion editor.

HIGH CLASS

Are the clothes when Schwartz builds them. Have them make your next suit.

Helen Writes Us A Letter

Helen McCall writes The Times to deny that she ever staid out until midnight and says she wants her friends to know she was never taken to police headquarters. Helen claims that instead of only being 14 years old she was born December 26, 1892, and will soon be 17.

"I did not run off," says Helen in her note. "I am back and working again. I could not stay at home because my brother whipped me."

All of which The Times prints for the information of Helen's friends.

Warm lined shoes at Winter's.

Chas. Reiniger Arrives Here

Charles Reiniger and Attorney Don Crockett of Columbus, arrived here Monday on a business visit. Mr. Reiniger reports his mining interests progressing nicely.

Recovers From Mumps

Charles Brunner, bookkeeper at Brunner's dry goods store resumed his duties Monday after a two weeks' siege with mumps. His little daughter, Dorothy, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is also improving.

Charles Grimm, an employe of the Interstate Transfer company, has moved his family from Carey's Run to a house on West Second street.

BLAIR ELOPES WITH WOMAN

The continued absence of George Blair, a Slabtown laborer, from his family was explained when the deserted wife, Mrs. Louisa Blair Monday, turned over some letters to President Schneider of the B. P. S.

The woman who is the mother of seven little children on the verge of starvation applied for some coal. Mr. Schneider had suspected that some woman figured in the case and he questioned her about it. Mrs. Blair at first was reticent on the subject but finally admitted that Blair was infatuated with another and had proof of it. She went home and soon returned with several letters. They were written to Blair by Mrs. Pearl Jackson of Wamsley, O., and teem with endearing phrases and poetry.

Blair skipped out several weeks ago leaving his family in destitute circumstances. He returned Saturday and spent about a half hour at home. The wife pleaded with him to do something for the little ones but he turned a deaf ear to all. He got wind of the fact that the authorities were after him and he escaped to Kentucky going to Greenup.

Our store will be open this evening and we cash N. & W. pay checks. The Haas Clothing Co.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT PECKHAM IS DEAD

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Death came at 8:15 o'clock last night to Rufus W. Peckham, 71, the aged justice of the United States Supreme court, after a long illness. He expired in his summer home at Altamont, near here.

Death was due to a complication, heart trouble, Bright's disease and hardening of the arteries contributing. Justice Peckham had been in ill health for a year, but his condition was not considered serious until recently.

Supreme Court Has Adjourned.

Washington, Oct. 25.—Out of respect to the memory of the late Justice Peckham, to Supreme Court of the United States, today adjourned until next Monday.

WELL DRESSED

When Schwartz's make your clothes.

THIEVES ROB CLERKS OFFICE

Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 25.—Burglars entered the Cabell county court house here last night. The combination on the vault in the county clerk's office was worked and $400 in money secured. No records or papers are missing. Blood hounds are being used with the hope of running down the guilty parties.

Red Cross shoes at Winter's.

Finding For Defendant

In common pleas court Monday in the foreclosure suit of Avanelle Cados against James G. Basham and others, a finding was made in behalf of George Bahner, a party defendant, for $265.85.

Our store will be open this evening and we cash N. & W. pay checks. The Haas Clothing Co.

Postal Man Is Coming

Edgar W. Collins, division superintendent of the Postal Telegraph company, is expected here from Cleveland Tuesday on his first visit since April. The company is putting in some new wires and making other improvements to the service which will claim Mr. Collins' attention while here.

Is Granted His Divorce

Augustus Roberts of the West Side was granted a divorce Monday from Mary Roberts, on desertion grounds. He lives on the West Side and Mary, who lives in Columbus, did not contest the suit. He gets custody of their child. Horace L. Small was attorney for Roberts.

Henry Adams, a colored porter at the Washington hotel, is off duty on account of illness.

Looking For Rabbit Squats

Engineer Joe Knoppe and Fireman Cliff Cramer of the B. & O. S. W. Accommodation train, were off duty Monday picking out some hunting territory near Gephart's, and Tripp's Switch. Engineer Charles Reynolds had charge of the Accommodation train Monday.

Something for nothing. See W. L. Wilhelm's ad.

Goes To Virginia.

Floyd Kemp and wife of this city left Sunday for a visit to relatives and friends in Virginia.

Called To Ashland.

Dr. Lake was called to Ashland Saturday to look after the injured horse of Taylor, the liveryman of that city.

New Cook at Biggs.

C. E. Fray, an experienced chef has succeeded Mrs. Ona Cooper at the Biggs. Mrs. Cooper has taken employment in a shoe factory.

SOCIAL NEWS

A social meeting will be held at the German Methodist church, Fourth and Washington, Friday evening next and to which the general public is cordially invited. An excellent program is being arranged. Admission will be free.

A social will be given in Eagle hall by the Ladies Auxiliary to Order of Railway Conductors of America, Wednesday evening, October 27, 1908. Refreshments of oysters or ice cream and cake. Dancing and other amusements will prevail. It is hoped everybody will buy a ticket.

So the grand old L. A. order
That is movin' now in form,
In spite of cranks and kickers,
Will out-weather every storm.

There is nothing now can stop her
She is here to stay and stick.
So hump yourself and join her,
Git in right quick.

The Bigelow Women's Home Missionary society will give a Hallowe'en Kensington at the home of Mrs. Howard Sellards on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Olive Blankenship, deputy auditor of the city of Chillicothe, spent Sunday in the city as guest of her sister, Mrs. Floyd Lewis.

Miss Hattie Patterson, of Lynchburg, Va., is visiting at the home of G. D. Patterson, 58 West Fourth street.

Mrs. Merle O. Duduit, who has been ill for a week with tonsilitis, is much improved.

Mrs. G. F. Thomas had as guests recently Mrs. C. B. Miller and son George Bruce, of Ironton.

Elsie May Kerr, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kerr of Offnere street is very sick.

Douglas shoes at Winter's.

Among the Latest Arrivals Are Ladies' One-Piece Dresses

These are handsome models and very much in demand in larger centers. We are showing quite a variety of models in them as well as variety in materials and shades ranging in price from $10.00 to $18.00, that are worth $12.50 to $25.00. We invite inspection and comparison.

Another shipment of Covert Long Coats. Just received. These are made of all wool Coverts in the very latest models and retail everywhere at $12.50 and $13.50. Come and see them. Our price is only $10.00

Long Black Coats at all prices, but we are making a run on one special Coat, 54 inches long, shawl collar, all wool, medium weight, black Kersey, pleated skirt coat, easily worth $20.00. Our price while they last ... $15.00

Our tailor made Suit Department has just been replenished with new ideas. We have had a wonderful sale on Suits and would seem that assortment would be about broken but fresh arrivals daily keeps assortment up and we can truthfully claim the largest assortment between $12.50 and $30.00 in Southern Ohio.

See Our 98c Window

And wonder how we can produce such good values in Waists, Petticoats, Shawls, Skirts, and Blankets. They are positively the greatest bargains to be had anywhere on account of the quality and style.

We are still closing out what yard goods we have at extremely low prices. You can find white goods, wool dress goods, outings, Flannels, Linings, Table Linens, Laces and Embroideries. Come and see if we have what you want. You can save at least one-third.

Our Home Coming Sale will continue until the end of the month. A good time to buy your Underwear, Hosiery, Skirts, Suits and Cloaks.

The Atlas Trading Co.

608 CHILLICOTHE

Agents for Kabo Corsets and Simmons' Kid Gloves.

Overcoat Time!

Weather does strange things; pleasant it permits no one to think of Top Coats nor Ulsters; but quickly transient chill days come and one is unprepared and often overlook the best makes.

OUR TOP COATS, RAIN COATS AND OVERCOATS are sold at prices that can't be matched in any other store in the city.

Our Coats are hand and tailored. Coats that have the snap and style, that make good looks last.

For the man who is tired of "the same old thing" in Overcoats, we show this newer creation.

OUR MUTO. It is a Coat of character and strong individuality, single breasted, button through model, and can be buttoned close and high in military style.

This new Coat is increasing in popularity constantly and is an ideal garment for cold or stormy weather, a protection for the throat and chest, while the long skirt furnishes protection for the legs.

Our Coats range in price from $10.00 to $35.00.

The Haas Clothing Co.

CLOTHIERS, TAILORS AND FURNISHERS.
CORNER FIFTH AND CHILLICOTHE.

Butterick Fashions
WINTER 1909-10

PRICE 25c INCLUDING ANY BUTTERICK PATTERN FREE

Have you seen the "Butterick Fashions" magazine depicting the styles for this winter. If not, don't loose too much time coming to our pattern counter to examine it. It's a magazine of styles and Butterick fashions large size pages containing hundreds of style illustrations and fashion information that all women are interested in. This magazine contains one hundred and twenty pages and every page contains interesting material for women to read and ponder over.

Ladies! It's Just What You Want

You can take "Butterick Fashions" and be interested in it hours at a time for it talks on things that are of interest to women.

This magazine gives you a complete knowledge of all the new Butterick patterns and insight into all the styles of today and the price you pay for it is nothing in comparison to value you receive.

THE PRICE IS 25c BUT THIS INCLUDES ANY 15c PATTERN YOU MAY SELECT, THUS THE MAGAZINE NETS YOU BUT 10c.

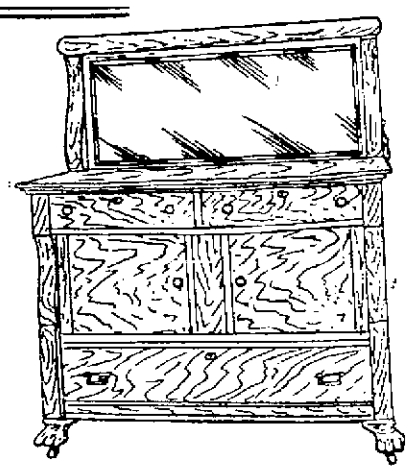
The Anderson Bros Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

Sideboards and Buffets

OUR WEEKLY CUT PRICE SALES IN DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS HAS GONE WAY BEYOND OUR GREATEST EXPECTATIONS. SO MUCH SO THAT WE ARE URGED TO EVEN GREATER EFFORTS. THIS WEEK WE GO INTO THE SIDEBOARDS AND BUFFETS WITH A CHOP PRICE OF 20 PER CENT OFF ON ALL CASH PURCHASES.

40 STYLES AND EVERY ONE A BEAUTY AT A PRICE YOU WILL NEVER GET AGAIN.

THE IMMENSE FALL AND WINTER LINES ARE ALL IN AND YOU WILL BE WELL ENTERTAINED BY HAVING A LOOK AT THEM. ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.



Tuesday Special No. 208

A HAND PAINTED GOLD TINTED SALAD BOWL, GERMAN CHINA, A NEAT AND PRETTY DISH HIGHLY TINTED AND GLAZED. YOU MUST COME AND GET IT. NO DELIVERIES, ... 16c

The Sam'l. Horchow Co.

A SMALL BLAZE ON W. SECOND STREET

Sparks from a defective flue caused a roof blaze at the old Medard Frederick homestead at No. 241 West Second street Sunday evening.

The fire was discovered by Von Cameron and some boys playing on the old mill lot. Cameron turned in an alarm and then with the aid of Jeff Rayburn, a city fireman who was off duty, played a garden hose stream upon the blaze. They kept the fire under control until the arrival of the Seventh street company. The flames had eaten their way under the roof from the rear part of the house until almost to the front and was a very stubborn one to combat, but was finally extinguish without much loss. The fire caused street car traffic to be blockaded for over a half hour.

Millbrook Star In Witching Hour

Miss Alma Chester, leading lady of the 1907 Millbrook Stock company, will appear at the Great Southern theater at Columbus Friday in "The Witching Hour." She is principal support of the star, Howard Gould, and this is their second season in the successful Augustus Thomas play.

Kinney's Lane 100 Years Old

It is rather a remarkable coincidence that just 100 years since Aaron Kinney came to Scioto county from Pickaway county and laid out Kinney's lane on what was largely his own lands, that the course or at least appearance of the Lane should be changed and yet this is just the case exactly. In a very short time work will begin grading the lane $5000 having been appropriated for the purpose.

The earth that will be taken from the lane when it is widened and made into a straight roadway, will be used in filling up the low parts of the cemetery, an improvement that it much needed and long desired.

Aaron Kinney built the old red brick "Kinney homestead" in 1812 from brick made on the grounds and from clay taken off the lot. The house has been occupied ever since and is still in a good state of repair. When the Highlands Realty Company extends Waller street through their new purchase the Kinney lands, the Kinney homestead will stand on a corner and be right in line along the contemplated improvements.

Buy Menzier work shoes at Winter's.

T. B. Blake Filling Lot

T. B. Blake is filling up his lot on Campbell avenue, south of Fifth street with dirt from the Selby excavation on Gallia street. Mr. Blake is particularly under stood when he is doing the work of spreading the dirt himself, and sees no incongruity in a man going to do day labor in an automobile.

Laborers Are Scarce

John Gerding was in the city on business Monday. He says he is much handicapped in his work of turnpike building by inability to get labor. He is paying $1.25 for men and $3 a day for man and team. There are no foreign laborers over there. He has about decided to let the high school have his piece of fossiliferous freestone, but says his daughters are anxious to keep it.

Mr. Gerding liked the Times' article very well, but says some of the words used by the reporter were much too much for him.

Putting In Sewer

The Kelley Bros. have begun work on the storm sewer north of Greenlawn cemetery. Joseph Barlow is superintendent. This sewer is for grounds north of the German Lutheran ground.

Room Needs Papering.

Jos. Brehmer is the man to call to touch it up. His work is always satisfactory. Home phone 617.

Doomed!

NOT

THE L. H. SIELING CO., EIGHTH AND CHILLICOTHE STREETS

BUT

THE ENTIRE BRAND NEW STOCK OF SHOES, CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS

DOOMED TO GO!

The very best Men's 25c Suspenders will be sold at this sale under the hammer at

6c

Boys' Suits, all kinds, all sizes, worth up to $3.00, will be sold at this sale under the hammer price

98c

Men's Pants, the regular $1.50 kind will be sold at this sale under the hammer, price

49c

Men's Shoes, all kinds, all sizes, the kind you pay $2.50 for, sold under the hammer price

$1.19

Men's Sweather Coats, all kind, the very best $1.00 and $1.50 coat in this city. Under the hammer price

49c

Suit Case. This case is a beauty and sells all over at $2.50. Under the hammer price

98c

Creditors have been clamoring for their money, almost satisfied. Held a meeting last week in New York City "wired" The L. H. Sieling Co.: We have shipped all goods bought for fall and winter almost three car loads. Sell them at what they will bring. We will help you make your store the greatest in Ohio.

The World's Greatest Shoe and Clothing Sale!

THE WIRE FROM THE EAST IS, SELL THEM AT ANY OLD PRICE. THE ONLY GENUINE BARGAIN SENSATION. THE ENTIRE BRAND NEW STOCK JUST RECEIVED WILL BE SOLD AT PRICE REDUCTIONS THAT WILL STARTLE THE RETAIL WORLD. GREAT BATTERING RAM TURNED LOOSE ON EVERY PRICE.

We are keeping aglow the Bargain Flames that have illuminated this entire section of the country the past four weeks. A PANIC ON PRICES. THE GREATEST BARGAIN EVENT IN THE HISTORY OF OHIO NOW ON IN FULL BLAST! We are almost throwing away the smartest Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods of the season. People realize this. Terrific ovation is the result. Crowds continue coming! Crowds continue buying! Crowds are telling their neighbors! And crowds of neighbors are also attending this great sale! All of which will help us to make this the Bargain Center of Portsmouth. The most stupendous aggregation of price wrecked merchandise ever gathered under one roof. Prices have been slaughtered beyond recognition on the season's most wanted and dependable merchandise.

The Greatest Sensation Portsmouth Has Ever Had!

Customers say our newspaper announcements don't begin to do this opportunity justice. Some "stores" have fooled the public so often through gross exaggerations that even real news is often discounted. That's why when you see the goods before you and the sales people quoting prices, you'll say newspaper type affords a weak insight into such wonderful reality.

Rich and Rare, Spic and Span New, From More Than a Hundred Manufacturers, and the "Wire" is Sell Them at Any Old Price!

It is a trade event worth coming a hundred miles to attend—it will be accepted by everybody — just as soon as a full realization of its colossal significance and extraordinary import are brought about as the most sensational that has probably ever occurred in the annals of retail trading. No shopper, man or woman, should miss this sale, for its influence and value to everybody are more far reaching and of greater scope than that of any trade occasion or event that has ever preceded it.

Prices Smashed to Smithereens and Competition Completely Annihilated!

Men's White, Red and Blue Handkerchiefs. The regular 10c value, very cheap at that price. Under the hammer price

1c

Men's Fancy Hose, also Black or Brown. The regular 15c kind. To be sold under the hammer price

4c

Boys' and Girls' Shoes, solid leather, the kind you pay $2.50 and $2.00 for in every shoe store in the city. Under the hammer price

98c

Men's Suits, all colors worth $7.50. That's the price you will pay many stores. Under the hammer, price

$2.48

Ladies' Fine Shoes, the very best $2.00 Shoe that can be bought, will be sold under the hammer price

98c

Boys' Coat Sweaters, the kind you pay 75c and 50c in all stores. Under the hammer price

33c

SHOES SHOES SHOES

ALMOST GIVEN AWAY. SEE OUR WINDOWS.

Ladies' and Men's Jap Silk Handkerchiefs. The regular 35c kind will be sold at this sale under the hammer. Price **12c**

Men's Hose Supporters, all kinds The kind you pay 25c for. All over will be sold at this sale, under the hammer, price **8c**

Men's Suit Cases. The regular $2.00 kind. This case will be sold under the hammer at **89c**

Ladies' Dress Shoes all kinds, all leathers. The kind you pay $2.00 for. All over this shoe will be sold under the hammer. price **$1.19**

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, all kind all leathers, all styles. This Shoe sells all over at $2.50. Will be sold under the hammer. price **$1.48**

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes all kinds of leathers, all styles. This shoe sells all over at $4.00. Will be sold under the hammer. price **$1.98**

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, all the new styles, all kinds of leathers all styles. One of the best shoes made. The shoe will be sold under the hammer. Regular price $4.50. Price **$2.19**

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoe, all the new things, all kinds of leathers, all styles. The shoe sells all over at $4.50. Will be sold under the hammer, price **$2.48**

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Men's Fine Dress Pants worth up to $3.00. Will be sold at this sale. Under the hammer, price **$1.19**

Men's Fine Dress Pants, worth up to $3.50. Will be sold under the hammer, price **$1.48**

Men's Very Fine Dress Pants, all the new fall and winter styles worth up to $4.00. Will be sold under the hammer, price.. **$1.98**

Men's New Fall and Winter Suits just received. The regular $10 kind, all styles, all kinds. Will be sold under the hammer price **$4.98**

Men's Very Fine Dress Suits, the new fall and winter models, cheap at $12.50. Will be sold under the hammer, price **$6.95**

Men's Red and Blue Handkerchiefs— The regular 10c value will be sold at this sale under the hammer, price **1c**

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Men's Fleece Heavy Winter Underwear. The regular 75c kind. Dr. Wowsky—You'll never have the chance again. Will be sold under the hammer, price **33c**

Men's Very Fine Fancy Dress Shirts. The regular $1.50 kind cheap at that price. Will be sold under the hammer, price.. **69c**

Men's Very Fine Dress Hose. The very best 35c Hose. Will be sold under the hammer, price.. **9c**

Men's Very Fine Neckties. The very latest styles, sold all over at 50c. Will be sold under the hammer, price **17c**

Men's 25c Caps. Sold under the hammer, price **9c**

Baby Shoes, all kinds. The ones you pay 50c for, will be sold under the hammer, price **19c**

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STUDENTS & FACULTY HOLD MASS MEETING, BOOM HIGH SCHOOL

A mass meeting of the 350 high school students was held at the high school building Monday morning, the object being to stimulate the campaign activities. The small assembly room, meant to seat 90 students, was packed to overflowing. Those who were unable to get seats on the desks or window sills, found various square inches of space here and there. Although the air was almost suffocating the enthusiastic students held their own for an hour and listened to the most fervent of speeches delivered by representative students and members of the faculty.

Mr. W. D. Gilliland gave a brief outline of the plan of the campaign and called upon Miss Bernice Bettman, a senior girl, to represent the girls of the school and address her fellow students. Miss Bettmann seems to have the new high school proposition down to a fine point and can give enough reasons for the new building to knock flat any number arguments to the contrary that may arise. She talked for 20 minutes without taking a breath and when she finished if there was one student against the new high school proposition there were 350 for it. In a clear and enthusiastic manner Miss Bettman described the proposed new building and criticized the old. She drew a great round of applause when she finished speaking.

Mr. Gilliland, who served as chairman of the meeting, with a brief story of the way the senior girls are helping the campaign, introduced H. A. Marting as the next speaker, to represent the boys of the school.

Mr. Marting, in a very few minutes, said what he wanted to say and took his seat, but his remarks went home to the hearts of his fellow students. He called for a display of school spirit in the campaign. By the shouting that followed his speech it was seen that his remarks would be heeded.

Miss Cramer, one of the well known teachers in the high school, was then called upon to speak for the faculty. She proceeded to smash the high tax argument against the new building by giving the exact increase which would be felt if the bond issue for the new building was passed by the voters of the city. According to Miss Cramer each taxpayer would have to pay 13 cents more per year on his earthly possessions. Who would refuse such an insignificant sum and deny the school children the new building under such circumstances. She closed her address by declaring that the new building for Portsmouth was a right and privilege of the school students. If they can get it in no other way they should demand their just and inherent rights.

Mr. Gilliland then took the floor and told of the efforts, which were being made by the gentlemen members of the faculty toward the passing of the bond issue. He said that if each taxpayer pays into the city treasury a sum of 25 cents for 20 years the entire amount would be made to defray the expense in building the new school. He said each of the senior girls had contributed over 40 cents each toward the campaign expenses. So the high school seniors have already paid almost twice what each taxpayer would pay in a year. Mr. Gilliland said that the entire population of the town must be tagged and the students expressed their willingness to do the tagging with a shout. Accordingly, several thousand of the tags bearing the words: "A new high school for Portsmouth," were distributed among the students. The town is to be decorated with campaign matter, and at the polls on election day are to be stationed students to agitate the voters toward the right thing. A gigantic parade is to be given Monday before the election, in which will take part all of the high school students and those in the lower grades.

Miss Hicker said that she would use her influence in getting the kindergarten children in the pageant. The services of a band, the best procurable in the city, are to be secured. The campaign work, beginning Monday morning, promises to be an exciting one, and it is to be hoped fruitful, with the desired results, that is, the passing of the bond issue which will give Portsmouth a new high school.

Boys' extra good shoes for school wear at Winter's.

Got No 'Possum.

Clint Piatt went several miles out Chillicothe pike 'possum hunting and got caught in the big rainstorm Friday night.

C. & O. BEHIND NEW BARGE DEAL?

The Waterways Journal says: A new barge line is the latest. The line is to run from Charleston to Huntington and Huntington to Ironton. Two big transfer boats are now under construction at Jeffersonville, Ind., that will each carry sixteen loaded cars of coal. The scheme, so we are informed, is to tow these barges by towboats. The Chesapeake & Ohio is reported to be behind the deal, and Capt. Frank Morgan, of Ironton, an expert in the building and handling of transfer boats and ferryboats, has been assigned to manage the new barge line.

ARE TO ABANDON OLD CEMETERY.

It is learned that preparations for the abandonment of what is known as the Timmonds burying ground, north of Kinney's lane, are now under way. Relatives of persons who were buried there in years gone by have been notified and are making arrangements to remove the bodies to other cemeteries.

Fancy dress shoes for women at Winter's.

BARDEN MAN IS ARRESTED AT CINTI

The Cincinnati Post says:

Two girls, giving the names of Esther Collier and Kate Henry, Ironton, O., were arrested Friday night by Night Chief Corbin at the Grand Hotel, following a complaint by the hotel management. The girls, who are no more than 15, were assigned to rooms as wives of two men with them, who gave the names of T. L. Johnson, Louisville and R. F. Jones, Norfolk, Va.

The girls told Night Chief Corbin they had run away from home. They said they met the two men on a train. Later one of them, who gave his name as Randal Blackburn, Barden, O., was arrested.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO VACATE.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the council of the city of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, praying for the vacation of the alley running east and west between Mill street and Front street and alley being the alley just east of The Portsmouth Veneer and Panel Company's property, and bounded on the north and south by lots fronting on said Mill street and Front street, in said City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, and is now pending before said council and will come up for final hearing on the first day of the regular session of said council, to-wit: on the 1st day of November A. D. 1909.

THEODORE MCSHEE, Clerk of Council.

October 11-Nov.

HEAVIEST PAY ROLL IN N. & W. HISTORY

That the N. & W. pay roll here this month exceeded $100,000 and was the largest in years, is the prediction of men who are in a means a great deal to Portsmouth position to know. This not only business men, but serves as an indication of the vast amount of work that the N. & W. is doing right here about Portsmouth.

At present, including the car shop force, the Norfolk & Western railway has about 1,500 men employed here and as the work of building the 22 new tracks is to go on all winter so as to have the tracks ready for next year's business, it is certain that this many, if not more men, will find steady employment at good wages all winter.

From Wheelersburg comes the news that the N. & W. has bought 25 acres of land from the Rardin farm and will use it for a dirt bank, hauling dirt from it to make the required fills at the terminals. This will keep at least two dirt trains, and a force of men busy, in addition to those now at work.

It is understood that next spring after the new tracks have been put in, it is the intention of the N. & W. to erect additional buildings at the car shops, and that when all the outlined improvements are completed, the capacity of the shops will be doubled as well as the capacity of the yards.

Portsmouth will then be the important terminals and shop point on the Norfolk & Western railway system, not excepting Roanoke. The only advantage the Virginia city will have over Portsmouth will be in having the general offices of the N. & W. May be they can be picked up some dark night and moved over too.

The extensive improvements were all outlined a year or so ago by The Times when it gave news of the purchase by the N. & W. of additional land.

Go To Indiana.

Chief Dispatcher C. T. Davis of the N. & W. and wife, have gone to Lafayette, Ind., for a brief visit to relatives.

"The Beast and the Jungle"

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REAL ESTATE DEAL IS IN MUDDLE

"Attorneys were here Thursday looking up evidence and inquiring as to the worth of a piece of ground on Duck Run which was recently traded to a widow in Columbus by Nate Rickey.

"The ground is a forty acre plot encumbered with a $500 mortgage. Rickey recently traded this farm to a widow in Columbus for a lot and dwelling house valued at $2500, the lady to pay off the mortgage.

"The vast difference in valuation has led the attorneys to try to have the trade declared void."

The above item appeared in the Lucasville Rural Gazette. The many friends of Mr. Rickey are of the opinion the above story does him an injustice. Nate Rickey is one of the squarest men in the country and his many admirers are confident that he can explain away any taint the above article may have attached to his name.

Told of Their Pittsburg Trip

An interesting narrative of their experiences while attending the centennial convention of the First Christian church, held at Pittsburg recently, was given by Dr. G. Wash Williams, Walter Adams, F. L. McGlone and Miss Hattie Bertram in place of the usual sermon at the First Christian church Sunday. The talks by the delegates were original and highly entertaining and pleased to a great degree the members of the congregation, who were not able to attend the convention.

S.S.S. FOR SORES AND ULCERS — THE REMEDY

There is but one way to cure an old sore or chronic ulcer, and that is to remove the cause that produces and keeps it open. No matter where located, any sore that remains until it becomes chronic does so because of impure blood; the circulation constantly discharges its polluted matter into the place and it is impossible for nature to heal the sore. S.S.S. heals sores and ulcers by purifying the blood. It removes every trace of taint or impurity from the circulation, and thus completely does away with the cause. No local application reaches below the infected flesh at the spot, and for this reason can have no curative effect on a sore or ulcer; while such treatment is being used alone, the germs and impurities are constantly increasing in the blood and the sore is bound to grow worse. When S.S.S. has cleansed the blood and enriched and purified the circulation the place begins to take on a more healthy appearance, the different symptoms show improvement, the flesh around the ulcer gets firm, new skin and tissues are formed, and aided by pure, rich blood, nature provides a perfect and lasting cure. Under the tonic and blood-purifying effects of S.S.S., the system is built up, and those whose health has been impaired by the drain and worry of an old sore will be greatly benefited by its use. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

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Guckenheimer	$3.00 per gal.
White Mountain	$3.00 per gal.
Belle of Nelson	$3.00 per gal.
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Food For Reflection

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Will buy 65c Feathers.

Or $1.00 extra wide Window Shades.

Or 3 pair of 25c Stockings.

Or 75c Children's Wool Union Suits.

Or $1.50 Wool Tights, Black.

Or 1 pair Infants 25c Hose or Half Hose.

Or 9 yards 7c Apron Gingham.

Or 11 yards best 6¼c Calico.

Or $1.50 Nursing Corset, (none small).

Or $1.50 Silk or Velvet Baby Caps.

Or $1.000 Silk Velvet, all colors.

FIFTY CENTS

Will buy 89c Fascinators.

Or 75c Wool Petticoats.

Or 4 of the 15c Knit Underwaists.

Or 3 pair of 25c Tan Hose.

Or 75c Wrist Bag.

Or 75c Back Comb or Barrette.

Or 75c Umbrella.

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$10.00 Fall Jacket, light or dark.

Or a Dress Skirt worth $8.00.

Or a $7.50 Winter Coat, new.

Or a Fur Scarf worth $9.

Or $7.50 worth of goods in all the store.

Just pick out $7.50 worth of merchandise, all over the house and pay $5.00 for the purchase.

$7.50 will buy $12.00 Suits or Coats.

$9.98 will buy $15.00 Coats or Suits.

$13.98 will buy $18.00 Suits or Coats.

$18.98 will buy $25.00 Coats or Suits.

$22.98 will buy $30.00 garments.

$7.98 will buy $12.00 Princess Dresses.

$1.98 will buy $3.00 Heatherbloom Skirts.

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WEST SECOND AND COURT STREETS

HEART DISEASE CLAIMS VICTIM

John Wilson, one of the few remaining old guard of rolling mill men and Portsmouth's first fire chief, died very suddenly of heart failure at his home, No. 229 East Third street, Saturday evening at 8:30.

"Uncle Jack," as Mr. Wilson was familiarly known to his many friends, had been in his usual good health and happy spirits when he retired for the night. During the day his time had been occupied by doing light work about his home, and in the afternoon he visited Fritz Dill's barber shop, as was his custom, and got shaved. He ate supper and seemed to be at his best, when he repaired to his room shortly afterward. About 8 o'clock he suffered an attack and began sinking rapidly. Dr. A. G. Sellards was called, but the aged man was breathing his last just as the physician arrived.

Mr. Wilson was past 75 years of age, and born in Allegheny City, Pa. He came to Portsmouth at an early age and had been a resident here for 55 years. He was married April 27, 1857, to Mary Murphy at Hanging Rock, and who still survives him. Three children were born of the union, but all are now dead. Mr. Wilson served with Company B, Twenty-second Ohio infantry, during the civil war. He worked at the old Gaylord and Burgess mills until they closed, and his last occupation was that of janitor at the high school building. It was in the early 80's that he served his city as its first fire chief and filled the position with satisfaction. Two sisters survive him. They are Mrs. Phoebe Brown and Mrs. James Gould, both of Pittsburg. Earl and Roy Reinhart are grandsons.

The funeral will take place from the late home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Eason, pastor of Bigelow Methodist church, will conduct the services. Burial in Greenlawn cemetery. Bailey Post, G. A. R., of which Mr. Wilson was a member, will have charge of the funeral.

Some Mystery To This Affair

Considerable mystery surrounds the coming and going of a young woman, claiming to be Mrs. John S. Seagraves, of Pantoge, W. Va., and who was accompanied here by her two little children.

The woman arrived here Friday night according to her story. She carried a six weeks' old baby in her arms and the other child was a girl about four years old. She herself was just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever and upon arrival was disappointed at not meeting her husband. He had come here recently to take employment and she was to have joined him here Monday. Her baby took sick and she herself felt so badly that the trip was postponed. The family spent Saturday dividing their time between the N. & W. depot waiting room and Buck's restaurant. She finally appealed to the police for aid in locating her husband. She was without means and so Chief Evans secured accommodations for them at the Biggs house. The woman told the officers that a former Pantoge citizen named Jodie Dyles, who knew her husband, was now living here. The police began a search for this man. They found he was employed with the N. & W., but had just moved from East Portsmouth to a house on new Eighth street, where they later found not only him but Seagraves. Both men were asleep but got up and admitted the officers. Seagraves agreed to call at police headquarters. Instead of doing so he went to the Biggs. He questioned the clerk on duty and asked a description of the supposed Mrs. Seagraves. He said there was some mistake, as his wife was a fussy set woman and had but one child, and besides had never left home. He refused to go upstairs to even see the woman who claimed to be his wife, and left the hotel. Next morning a telephone call was received at the hotel office for the woman. She was urged to come to the city ferry landing as her husband awaited her there. The woman and children left the hotel and nothing has been seen or heard of them since. Police now think that Seagraves only wanted to avoid paying his family's hotel bill and therefore decided his wife.

Mr. Hornung Is Recovering

Joseph Hornung, who was brought home seriously ill from his mines in Lewis county, Ky., a short time ago, is recovering rapidly and expects to be able to return to his mines in a few days. He owns one hundred acres of ground near the mouth of Quick's Run and says he has no doubt that seventy-five acres of it is full of valuable ore.

To Have River Landing

The Watt-Fuller company is making arrangements to secure a river landing at their New Boston plant and hope to secure same shortly. The company is handicapped by reason of not having a river landing, shipping as it does much of its goods by boat. It would do so if it had what it has long needed and wanted.

TO FURNISH BRICK FOR PANAMA CANAL

A year's contract with the government just secured by the Tygart Fire Brick company, has caused its plant to go on its fullest capacity.

The contract is for supplying the brick for boiler settings on the Panama canal. Ten urloads were shipped via the C. & O. and New Orleans Monday and similar shipments will be made monthly.

Manager C. H. Gaulin has been increasing his force until it now numbers 150 men. The plant will continue running day and night throughout the winter months.

Operated Free Ferry

"Uncle Jack" Wilson, mention of whose death is made elsewhere, operated a free ferry during the big 1884 flood, and this act won for him the gratitude of many of his fellow citizens.

Move To Star Yards.

William Luther and family of Kentucky, moved to Star Yards Saturday. Luther has taken employment at the Carlyle brick plant.

DYSPEPSIA IS RELIEVED IN FIVE MINUTES

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach if you will take a little Diapepsin occasionally.

Your meals will taste good and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Biliousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. A single dose will digest all the food you eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour and upset the stomach.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking now, and in a little while you will actually brag about your healthy, strong stomach, for you can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

Should you at this moment be suffering with Indigestion or any stomach disorder, you can get relief within five minutes.

Now On Crutches.

Walter Bilby, who recently had an ankle sprained by a cross tie falling on him, is still moving about on crutches.

Wear Winter's shoes.

Avoid Harsh Drugs

Many Cathartics Tend to Cause Injury to the Bowels.

If you are subject to constipation, you should avoid strong drugs and cathartics. They only give temporary relief and their reaction is harmful and sometimes more annoying than constipation. They in no way effect a cure and their tendency is to weaken the already weak organs with which they have come in contact.

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They come in two size packages, 12 tablets 10 cents, 36 tablets 25 cents. Remember you can obtain them only at our store. The Rexall Store. Worster Bros., 419 Chillicothe street, Portsmouth, O.

An Old Ledger Tells Old Stories

The Times has been shown the ledger used by the late George Fisher, druggist, from the years 1865 to 1867. The firm was then Vandeford & Fisher, and the location of the store was on the opposite corner from its present location, in the building now occupied by Marting's store. In looking over the pages very few names of persons now living are found. The writing is largely in Mr. Fisher's hand, showing that he kept his own accounts. He wrote a clean, round hand, but having come from Germany after he had passed the school age, the spelling in many cases is faulty. At that, not more so than many Americans who have passed through the schools. Most of the accounts are closed up and balanced, but, nevertheless, there are some that are carried forward page after page, into the hundreds of dollars, and there are no red balancing lines at the end. They are still running, provided the parties have been able to get things on tick, in existence, where they are now doing business. Persons are charged with drugs and other articles that have long since gone out of use. Medicines that were then thought to be life-saving are laughed at by present day physicians. An account with the Portsmouth Times: The chief items of expenses are for sponges and glue. In those days every printing office made its own rollers, glue and molasses being the ingredients. Now the rollers are purchased from the type foundry, the same as type and machinery. The making of rollers was one important industry about a printing office, and more or less of a thorn in the flesh of printers, pressmen, editors and proprietors. The making of a roller was much like the making of a pound cake by a woman. The roller-maker took chances on his output, the same as does the housewife in making a cake. Sometimes the thing goes back on them, and in the case of the woman her cake is dough, and with the roller-maker, whose production did not turn out satisfactorily, his name was apt to be mud for sometime to come. A defective roller had to stand for much of the shortcomings of a printing office, and the maker of the roller had a rocky road to travel. November 24, 1867, in the Times' account is the item, "one bottle of wine, $1.25." Now, the present day Times would like to know to what use that bottle of wine was put. What did they do in a printing office that called for wine? The sponges are easy, for they were used for washing rollers and wetting type. The glue was used for making rollers, but what the deuce did they do with the wine? The Times of the present day could not use it. The Times' account amounts to $30.50, and neat, double red balancing marks across the bottom indicates that it was settled.

40 HRS. DEVOTION AT THE HOLY REDEEMER

The Devotion of the Forty Hours, began with a solemn high mass at the church of the Holy Redeemer Sunday morning. Father Augustine, a Passionist missionary of Cincinnati; Rev. Meade, of Wellston, and Rev. Father C. Schmidt, of this city, are assisting the pastor in the exercises. Father Augustine's sermons on the Blessed Sacrament, will be one of the most important features of the devotion, which will continue until Tuesday evening.

School shoes at Winter's.

One Cough

Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. If he says, "Take it," then take it. If he says, "No," then don't. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

A cough, just a little cough. It may not amount to much. Or, it may amount to everything! Some keep coughing until the lung tissues are seriously injured. Others stop their cough with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Sold for seventy years. How long have you known it?

WARREN TOPPAN, Lynn, Mass.

Cured of severe compound cold and cough by

Vinol

"From Dec. 20, '08, to March 1, '09, I had three bad colds, one on top of the other. I got so weak I could hardly get around. Nothing seemed to help me until I began to take Vinol. The change was magic. Three bottles completely fixed that compound cold and stopped the terrible cough—and what surprises me most, at the same time it cured me of a severe stomach trouble that has bothered me for 20 years. Vinol is certainly a wonderful medicine."

Mr. Toppan is one of Lynn's most prominent and highly respected merchants, whose word is as good as his bond.

The reason Vinol is so successful in such cases is because it contains the two most world-famed tonics—the medicinal, strength-giving, body-building elements of Cod Liver Oil and Tonic Iron.

Your Money Back If You Are Not Satisfied.

FRANK AMANN, Druggist, 2 stores, Portsmouth.

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.

October--The Greatest Purchasing Month For Winter Needs!

We have had the greatest October business in the store's history. Why this great success. Because promises and facts agree. Because offerings create enthusiasm. The thrifty housewives are convinced that Bragdon's is the store where every dollar expended brings in full return in value. The next eight days of October must be record breakers for we offer record values that are unmatchable.

Ready-to-Wear Garments

The ready to wear —— busy corner these days. Never have we given better values in woman's wearing apparel.

Handsome tailored suits in the newest styles, fabric and shades. Suits $8.50 to $25.00.

We can save you fully 25 per cent on suits.

Long Coats fitted and half fitted effects in popular designs and materials. Coats $3.98 to $25.00.

Dress Skirts

A collection that cannot be equalled in the city.

Vast variety of weaves in all shades so popular now. Skirts $2.48 and up.

Special value in Children's and Misses' Coats. All our garments are of the very best workmanship, fit, finish and style warranted.

All alterations made without charge.

Why not make your selection now. We will lay aside for you any suit, skirt or coat. Upon which you can make payments to suit your convenience. No difference in price for this privilege.

Just received a new lot of Ladies', Misses and Children's Sweater Coats at interesting prices.

Underwear

Underwear for everybody at great price savings. It certainly seems a good time to buy a whole season's supply.

Ladies' heavy Fleeced Ribbed Union Suits for 48c.

Ladies' finest quality Fleeced Union Suits, Bleached or Cream, $1.00 quality for 75c.

Ladies' extra weight Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants in white and cream, regular and extra sizes for 25c.

Men's heavy Fleeced Jersey Underwear, 48c and 75c a suit.

Men's Fleeced Ribbed Underwear, 38c and 75c a suit.

Men's medium weight Underwear at 38c and 75c a suit.

Children's Union Suits and Sleeping garments 25c a suit.

Boys' heavy Jersey Fleeced Union Suits 48c a suit.

Boys' and Misses' Jersey F Underwear, all sizes 25c.

Children's Black Fleeced, all sizes at 25c.

All grades of cotton and wool Underwear at special prices.

HOSIERY

Ladies' black fleeced Hose, 15c quality 10c pair.

Ladies' black Ribbed Hose, 15c quality 10c pair.

Ladies' Burson Hose (only hose without a seam) in plain and ribbed tops, regular and extra sizes, 2 pair for 25c, choice 15c pair.

Children's school hose (double knee), all sizes 10c pair.

Boys' extra heavy school hose, all sizes, two for 25c.

Men's, Ladies' and Children's all wool and part wool hose at interesting prices.

Gloves

A good assortment of Gloves.

Ladies' Fleeced and Silk lined fabric Gloves.

Ladies' Knit Gloves.

Misses' Knit Gloves, Children's Knit Gloves.

Boys' fabric and leather Gloves.

Men's Knit and leather Gloves.

All rightly priced.

EXTRA SPECIALS

An Underwear bargain counter. Where odd lots of all kinds of Underwear can be found at about half regular prices.

200 Lace Curtain Samples in White, Ecru and Arabian. While they last, choice 10c.

Fleeced lined bleached Knit Corset Covers, 25c quality, choice 10c.

Fine Net Waists, Silk lined in white and ecru, this season's latest styles, $4.00 to $7.90 values, choice $1.98 and $2.48.

Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas Best Taffeta Cloth. Vast variety of fancy handles, $1.25 and $1.50 qualities, choice 98c.

Ladies' fleeced Taffeta Gloves, 50c quality 25c pair.

Little folks Bearskin Coats, all colors at $1.98.

Caps to match 25c.

Children's Tam O'Shanters, 50c quality 35c.

Little folks white silk caps and Bonnets at half usual prices.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

Can supply your every demand.

Cotton Blankets 49c pr. and up.

Wool Blankets $2.75 and up.

Crib Blankets 75c.

Comforts, full size 89c and up.

Can save you money on Outings, Canton Flannels, Wool Flannels, Percales, Dress Ginghams, Sheetings, Table Linens, Crashes, etc. Large assortments and lowest prices made our store the mecca for buyers.

The Bragdon Dry Goods Co.

MASONIC TEMPLE, FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE STREETS. PORTSMOUTH'S POPULAR STORE.

Pay the Shoe Man

Or you will have to

Pay the Doctor!

ASK YOUR FAMILY DOCTOR and he will prescribe THE VERY BEST SHOES obtaintable for the WET, SLOPPY WEATHER, is not dangerous when your feet are properly covered.

BOYS AND GIRLS ESPECIALLY should wear first class shoes but

Bring the Whole Family To Winters' Shoe ...Store...

and supply their shoe wants from the large selected stock of WEATHER RESISTING SHOES AT REASONABLE PRICES.

Winters

OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE. 509 CHILLICOTHE STREET.

NEW DRESS GOODS!

AT THE OLD RELIABLE STORE

Fancy Satin Cloth in Blue and Greens, regular $1.25 values for 95c

Fancy Novelty Suitings in all the new Tans, Blues, Browns and Reds, regular $1.00 values, for ..... 79c yd.

Fancy Wine Poplin, 42 inches wide... 95c yd

Fancy Flannel Suitings in Brown, Navy and Wine, 50 inches wide at ..... 50c yd.

Chiffon Broadcloth, 52 inches wide, Black, Brown, Navy, Green, Tan and Red at... $1.00 yd.

All Wool Batiste, 36 inches wide in Black, Red Wine, Navy, Old Rose and Light Blue and white at ..... 50c yd

Crib Blankets

Jacquard Crib Blankets, wool finish, 36x50 in. at ..... 75c apiece

A. Brunner

CORNER SECOND AND MARKET STREETS.

HOME PHONE 120. BELL PHONE 439 W.

CHMN. KLOEB DIES MONDAY

Celina, Oct. 25.—Charles A. Kloeb, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, died of ptomaine poisoning this morning. Mr. Kloeb was until recently an examiner in the state bureau of accounting. He resigned this to go into the bonding business in Columbus. Some time ago Mr. Kloeb resigned as Democratic state chairman, but later withdrew his resignation.

Mr. Kloeb is well known not only to Portsmouth Democrats, but also to local officials. He spent four months here last year examining the books of the county. He was an excellent gentleman.

AUDITORIUM RINK TO OPEN

The Auditorium skating rink at the corner of Ninth and Chillicothe streets, will in all probability be opened to the public about the 10th of November. The proprietors of the place, Messrs. Ray and Bybee, are negotiating with the management of the Peerless band, a new organization, to take charge of the rink. It is also stated that Jack Johnson, a Cincinnati musician, is after the rink. He has a band of eight pieces, four men and four women, who have been making quite a hit playing summer engagements in parks.

Cool Weather Puts Life In Buds Colt

That frisky four-year-old colt belonging to Bud Stabler cut up all sorts of didos and came very nearly running away while it was being hitched up in the rear of Mr. Stabler's home Sunday. A part of the harness went wrong, frightening the animal, and it shot up the alley like a streak. It was finally halted at Offnere street, without serious damage to it or the carriage to which it was hitched. Mr. Stabler recently purchased the colt from Rhodes Sailor, proprietor of the Cigar stand at the Washington hotel.

A COLD FALL EVENING.

When the cold fall winds are blowing, and it rains—is often snowing, 'tis at this season we retire, early to home and an evening fire and 'round the sitting-room cosily sit, as soon after dusk as the lights are lit; and a warm glow shines upon the floor, which with Spartan Stain has been finished o'er. Spartan Stain has become the household wood finish for the home. Manufactured by The Marietta Paint & Color Co., Marietta, Ohio. Sold by Schloss & Co., 414 Chillicothe Street.

OPENING OF NEW CLASS IN DANCING

Monday evening, November 1st, Prof. Fisher will open a new primary class in dancing, which will probably be the last to be organized this season. Beginners interested will please take note of the date—next Monday. Ladies at 7 o'clock; gentlemen at 8:00.

Fred Kress, who is now in the livery and undertaking business at Piketon, was a visitor here on Saturday.

ARE TO RESIDE AT THE MILL

The cost of the repairs and additions now being made at the Portsmouth Steel Co. plant, will be in the neighborhood of half-a-million dollars, it is said. It is not expected that the work will be completed before next summer.

In the meantime the mill is running at full capacity and has plenty of orders.

The new building erected for the accommodations of the officers is nearing completion. Manager Glass and Supt. Johnson will have comfortable quarters in the new building and will make their home there. The building will also contain a large dining room at which the office force will be served their noon-day meal, in order to save the time of coming to town.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.—ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

(Seal.)

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

G. A. R. Post To Meet.

Members of Bailey Post G. A. R. and all ex-soldiers are requested to meet in front of Security bank, Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 1:45 p. m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of Comrade John Wilson at his late residence, 229 East Third street.

A. J. FINNEY, P. C.

Brother Dies In Cincinnati

Mrs. Fred Schmitt of East Eleventh street, was called to Cincinnati Monday by the death of her brother, Peter Buchert, Sr., a retired business man. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Margaret Neukoerfer who will also attend the funeral. Of this death, Monday's Enquirer said in part:

Peter Buchert came to Cincinnati in 1845. He resided in Cincinnati for 20 years and then moved to Newport. He started the first copper manufacturing plant in Cincinnati 50 years ago on Front street, the original firm being known as the Buchert Sons' Copper and Brass Works.

To Install Order at Rome

Emil Helt of the local order of Junior Order of American Mechanics expects to leave Thursday for Rome, O., to install a J. U. O. A. M. local in that village.

"I'd Rather Die, Doctor, than have my feet cut off," said M. L. Bingham, of Princeville, Ill. "But you'll die from gangrene (which had eaten away eight toes) if you don't," said all doctors. Instead, he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve till wholly cured. Its cures of Eczema, Fever Sores, Boils, Burns and Piles astound the world. 25c at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Has Rheumatism.

Mrs. Martha Warren, a well known colored resident of Thirteenth street, is very low with rheumatism.

GET NOTICE OF BASEBALL MEETING

The Portsmouth base ball club received a notice of the ninth annual meeting of the National Association of Professional Base Ball League which will be held at Memphis, Tenn., on Nov. 9. Geo. Wurster or Ford Halderman will probably attend the meeting as the representative of the Portsmouth club, while President Robert Quinn of the Ohio State league will attend as the league representative.

Rev. Meacham In Baltimore

Rev. E. J. Meacham, pastor of the First Christian church, is now in Baltimore, where he is conducting a protracted meeting. He is meeting with great success.

Fred Grinstead Sundayed Here

Fred L. Grinstead came up from Lexington to spend the day Sunday and to join Mrs. Grinstead, who was called here some time ago by the serious illness of her father, John H. McCoy of West Sixth street. His condition is now reported as improved. Mr. Grinstead was formerly agent for the Adams Express company here, and was transferred to a similar position at his old line in Lexington.

DENIZEN CLUB RENOVATED

The quarters of the Denizen club, which have been undergoing a course of renovation the past week, were turned over to its members Monday, and are now ready for occupancy. The rooms have been refrescoed, the floors handsomely stained and new furniture and fixtures installed, making the club one of the swellest and cosiest in the city. Contractor Ed Brehmer's men did the job of refurbishing the quarters and right artistically was the work done.

A house warming will be held at the club rooms in the Masonic temple Wednesday evening, to which the public is invited, and on Thursday night the members will give a smoker.

Salvationists Hold Meeting

The first Sabbath meeting held by the new officers of the Salvation Army in their new barracks on West Second street, drew a good sized crowd Sunday evening. The open-air meeting held at Fourth and Chillicothe streets was also well attended. The new officers in charge are men and women of the very best of character and they promise to place the local army on a higher plane than it ever enjoyed before.

Dyke Is Decaying

The old government dyke above town is rapidly becoming dilapidated. The dyke in places is full of holes and the wooden supports are fast are rottening, just now it is the mecca for jack-salmon fishermen. Stalktowners, especially, are daily camping out on the dyke, as this kind of fishing is now at its best.

Return to California

Mrs. Charles McFarland, of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been visiting here the past several weeks, returned home Sunday accompanied by her nephew, Reese Larkins, who expects to spend the winter on the Pacific coast.

Sells His Saddler.

Fred Thomas, a young high school student, on Saturday sold his fine saddle horse to Dr. D. H. Price, a physician of Chattaroy, W. Va.

Returns To Texas.

Charles Burling, who has been home on a three month's visit, returned to El Paso, Texas, Saturday.

On November First

Interest will be credited on amounts of $5.00 or more which has been on deposit in our Savings Department for one month or longer.

Bring your pass book and have interest credited. You may withdraw the interest if desired, if not it will be added to deposit and earn compound interest.

This Bank pays compound interest three times a year, March, July and November.

Starting an account now entitles you to interest March 1st next.

Your money deposited in this bank is safe—may be withdrawn any time needed. If left on deposit you will receive interest.

You may open an account with $1.00 or more. No charge for pass books.

Assets over $700,000.00.

THE SECURITY SAVINGS BANK,
Gallia and Upper Market Square.

A Sale That Has Set a New Salvage Record!

$50,000.00 Worth of High Grade **Merchandise** To be distributed into the homes of the people for less than the actual cost of the raw material by **The Salvage** PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

The greatest business in the history of this popular store has been the result. By request of a large number of patrons another and final postponement of this remarkable sale will be made

Tuesday, October 26

IS THE FINAL WIND-UP!

Salvage prices hit the spot the lightest, when it hurts the most. —The pocket book.

Prices will reach the lowest Limit in the big sale of **Clothing and Furnishing Goods** FOR MEN, BOYS' AND CHILDREN **The Salvage** PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

Three immense wholesale stocks bought outright and in addition our buyers were enabled to purchase at prices almost beyond belief thousands of dollars worth of the best merchandise in the land direct from mills and factories. These vast stocks have arrived and been placed on our counters and shelves ready for sale.

THE SALVAGE
PORTSMOUTH'S GREATEST CLOTHIERS!

Their entire stock of high grade fall and winter stock of Suits, Overcoats, Hats and Furnishings to go in this gigantic Fall Opening Sale at about 33 cents on the dollar. This sale in the building at No. 218 and 220 Chillicothe street. The Red Hand will point the way.

OUR IRONCLAD GUARANTEE { Every Advertised Article Positively on Sale. The Words "Just Out" are Never Used Here. Small Lots Never Advertised.

The Salvage Clothing Stock will be placed on Sale. Everybody should avail themselves of this opportunity. A fine stock of Tailor-Made Clothing, Hats, etc. at 33c on the dollar. If you value money, don't miss it. This will be a most stupendous undertaking to close out this mammoth Fifty Thousand Dollar Stock at retail in eight days, but the prices we have put on the goods will move them out rapidly. This sale will be held in our Building, 218 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, Ohio, and the

World's Greatest Clothing Sale IS GOING ON PORTSMOUTH, OHIO AT THE SALVAGE

It will pay you to come 100 miles to visit this sale. Never again will you have such a golden opportunity to dress in such rich raiment at such trifling cost.

Here will be the mighty avalanche of majestic bargains in Men's and Young Men's High Style Ultra Fashionable Suits and Overcoats ever brought together by any firm in Ohio, equaling in quantity and variety the combined stocks of all the retail clothing houses in Portsmouth. We hereby guarantee to sell precisely as we advertise, and every quotation is absolutely correct. It may be hard to believe that a big concern would sacrifice such an immense stock to be sold at 33 per cent less than their actual cost to manufacture, but it is Gospel Truth and we merely ask you to come and test our statements. This tremendous sale positively

IS NOW GOING ON

And Closes October 26.

As this sale will last only 12 days everything will go rapidly. This is the first sale of this kind that ever occurred in Portsmouth, and it may never occur again, and in order to prove to you what tremendous sacrifices will be made, we mention a few of the extraordinary bargains that will be offered, and bear in mind there are 1,000 different articles we cannot mention here. We advise you to save this and bring it with you so there can be no mistake and you get exactly the goods mentioned in this document. Remember, no postponement. This great sale will close in Twelve days. Just think of the following proposition, and remember that all goods herein priced in this document can be brought back at any time during this sale.

Men's extra heavy Sanitary white fleece lined, the best 50c garment made. Colors, Tan, Corn and Blue go on sale at **37c**

Boys' Coat Sweaters in Grey, Cotton, trimmed in Blue, Pearl buttons, a 50c garment. Sale price **19c**

Fleece lined Underwear, all sizes up to 34, worth 35c. Sale price **19c**

Men's Hose in black, tan and fancy worth 10c, during this gigantic fall sale price **3c**

Men's Suspenders worth 15c, Sale Price **6c**

Men's White Handkerchiefs worth 10c, sale price **1c**

FINE SUITS OF MEN'S CLOTHES, All to Match $1.98

This Suit is positively worth $8.00 or your money refunded at any time during this sale.

Men's Fine Suits in Cheviots and Scotch Plaids, worth $10.00 or your money refunded any time during this sale if you are not satisfied.... $4.98

Men's splendid Suits in Valour Finished Cassimeres, all sizes. This is positively worth $13.00 or your money back $5.85

Silk and Satin Lined Dress Suits, in plain checks and Stripes. This Suit positively worth $15.00. At $7.48

Men's Fine Dress Pants, worth $2.00 or your money refunded 69c

Men's Fine Trousers for Sunday wear in worsted and fancy stripes at $2.39

Positively worth $4 and $5 or money refunded.

All Boys' Knee Pants worth 50c, sale price... 19c

At $9.85 each, you are free to choose a Suit or Overcoat, worth $18.00 to $20.00 from 50 lots of as finely made and elegantly finished Suits and Overcoats as the most fastidious dresser could desire; fine home and foreign suitings and overcoatings of style and tone, and in a great variety of effects— tailored into garments of faultless fashion — Kersey, Melton and Whipcord Overcoats, black, blue, brown, tan and drab diagonal, cheviot, vicuna, homespun, tweed and cassimere suits, single and double breasted $9.85

At $12.48 and $14.85 these represent the product of the world's celebrated looms and the world's most skillful tailors. They equal and guarantee to excel any $30.00 tailor made to order garment in the world or we cheerfully refund your money. Men's extra fine dress suits in the latest styles and shades, heavy silk and satin lined, equal to the finest $30.00 tailor made to order suit for $14.85 and $12.48.

Don't Fail to Ask to See This Suit.

Thirty Distinct Effects in Boys' Ultra Fashionable Knee Pant Suits

In all the swellest and novelty and staple styles. Worth $8.00 and $10.00, all go at $3.98

Boys' Suits and Overcoats worth $2 at 98c

1000 Pairs of Boys' Knee Pants 75c at 39c

Boy's best quality reinforced Shirts, worth 50c at 29c

Good heavy Work Shirts worth 50c 36c

Fine Dress Shirts worth 75c 34c

Men's Hats worth $1.00, sale price 39c

Men's Underwear worth 50c 29c

A few hundred Boys' Hats and Caps worth 50c, at 29c

Men's fine Suspenders worth 15c at 6c

Good Heavy Socks worth 10c at 3c

Over 5000 Neckties in all shades worth 50c.... 18c

Men's Handkerchiefs worth 10c at 3c

1,000 other articles too numerous to mention.

$3.98 Splendid Overcoats in Medium, Heavy or Light Weight $3.98

This coat is of the finest material and positively worth $10.00. We will allow you to take this coat home and keep it 5 days, and if you do not think it worth $10, or no matter what the cause may be, you may return the same, and we hereby bind ourselves to refund the $3.98.

Men's nice, good, durable Overcoats in black and brown for Sunday wear, $5.85, positively worth $15.00. Men's fine Overcoats in silk and satin linings, olives, tan and dark blue shades, $6.98, worth $18.00, or your money refunded, no matter what the cause may be. Men's fine Royal Standard Kersey Overcoats in black worth $18.00 for $7.98. The finest quality of custom tailor made Overcoats and imported Royal Standard Kerseys, all shades and lined with silk, $12.98 and $14.85, positively worth $30.00, or your money refunded at any time during this sale.

Remember the Closing Date, TUESDAY, October 26

NOW OPEN!
CLOSES OCT. 26.

Look For The RED SIGNS 218 Chillicothe Street

THE SALVAGE Portsmouth, O.

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

How Local High Cleaned Up On Kingston High

In a driving rain with the thermometer registering close to the freezing point, Portsmouth High won from Kingston High in a fast football game Saturday afternoon on the latter's grounds at Kingston. What promised to be a bad defeat was turned into a victory through the perfect team work and the speed of the local eleven. Score, 17 to 0.

Although the locals were sent word that the rain would not permit the contest in Kingston, with undaunted determination not to lose a chance to play, rain or shine, they boarded the early N. & W. train Saturday morning for Kingston in spite of the requests of the upstaters to call off the game. The locals undoubtedly recalled the cancellation of a game with the Kingston aggregation two years ago and were not to be put aside by anything short of a hurricane.

The bunch of huskies representing the local high school acquitted themselves well in spite of the fact that it was their first game away from home this season. On account of the rain which fell steadily, beginning Friday midnight, continuing until Saturday night, the game was not started until 3 o'clock, the managers of both teams entertaining the hopes that the incessant downpour would cease. As the sun was not forthcoming at the above time, the game started in a rain which was a cross between iced water and sleet, Kingston winning the toss and kicking to P. H. S. The locals secretly desired to kick to Kingston so as to get a line on their speed, but the opposition getting the choice, had to receive the ball and size up their opponents later on. Through one of the heaviest high school lines in the state the blue clad braves from this city plowed their way for the first touchdown. In gaining the points, Marting was used almost exclusively on tackle bucks. The excellent support of his mates made it possible for him to make the distance across the Kingston field in five minutes. Gardner kicked a beautiful goal against the wind and the score was Portsmouth 6, Kingston 0. After the first touchdown the Kingstonians tightened up and held the locals until the first half ended. However, the ball remained in the Kingston territory most of the time.

The Kingston team had been literally swept off their feet by their lighter opponents during the first half and it was obvious when the second half opened that they were abashed. Kingston received the kick and with excellent interference for the man carrying the ball, made several yards in Portsmouth's direction. They were held for downs to the dismay of the half dozen rain-soaked and frozen spectators. It was found that Marting's tackle plunges were effective and with an occasional on-side kick and center rush were repeated. The heavy captain was sent over for the second touchdown after four minutes of play. Gardner again kicked goal from a position directly in front of the posts, made by a kick-out on the boot of Marting, Creveling catching the ball. Score, Portsmouth 12; Kingston 0.

The third touchdown of the game, which was also the last, came after the second with only seven minutes intervening. Selby on one of his rushes was carried over the line by the two backs and the entire team on the push. Gardner was again sent to do the goal kicking, but lifted the ball a little to the right of the posts. Score: Portsmouth 17; Kingston 0.

The Kingston team up to Saturday had not suffered defeat this season, and it is much to their chagrin that the locals put the game on the shelf out of their reach. The weather and the field was to the advantage of the Kingstonians, since they were the heavier, but by invincibleness, were held from scoring. The locals were outweighed but demonstrated their superiority handily. One side of the Kingston line averaged 192 pounds, having three men weighing almost 600 collectively. The one time that looked ill for Portsmouth was when a punt off Gardner's toe from the local 10-yard line was blocked and smothered by one of Kingston's giants. He was nailed to the ground by Creveling before he had a chance to move towards the local goal. The up-staters were then held for downs and the ball was carried into safer territory by the visitors.

The Portsmouth team had the experience for the first time in playing in a cornfield and a hard rain. Puddles of icy cold water ankles deep were scattered all over the field and it was not seldom that the lads went down into them head first. Players of both teams resembled a drove of swine after the game, as they hurried through the barnyard, which served as a lobby for the football field. Covered with mud and soaked to the skin by the tempestuous elements they were heartily glad to get back to the hotel and change clothes.

The men who deserve the most praise for the outcome of the contest are Marting, Roberts, Gardner, Brown and Creveling. The work of these men stood out prominently, although th others never played a better game in their football days. Roberts was thrown into his fighting spirit by a scuffle on the side lines when a play went out of bounds. He then began to shine. Gardner played a great game, both on the defensive and offensive. Creveling's tackles were features. Jamie Williams played his first game at end and showed up well. He promises to be as good in his new position as his brother Evan, a star of last year's champions.

The teams lined up as follows: For Kingston—Rudell center, Goth right guard, Sheridan left guard, Johnson left tackle, McGinnis left end, Maxwell right end, Radcliff quarter, D. Sheppler captain and left half, Welshimer right half, and L. Sheppler fullback. For Portsmouth—Donaldson center, Hudson and Daniels guards, Marting and Roberts tackles, Williams and Harsha ends, Creveling quarter, Don Brown and Gardner halfbacks, and Selby fullback. The four subs taken along were not used in the game as the locals found that they could win the game without their prized services. Time of halves—20 and 15 minutes. Officials—Creveling and McGinnis.

NOTES

The local high school football team made it three straight, excepting the Marshall college tie game, when the won from Kingston High Saturday. With the great start the team has made this season there looks to be prospects for another championship season like 1905. The boys are a scrappy lot and can lick twice their weight, it appears. They are in great condition for their return game with Kingston High next Saturday at Millbrook park. With good weather prevailing it stands to reason that the locals will clean up with the visitors to the tune of a larger score.

The locals were not without rooters at Kingston. About 15 lads from Chillicothe High went up to see the game in their neighboring town and yelled like fury for Portsmouth. In speaking of the chances for Portsmouth to schedule a game with the Chillicotheans, they said that their dates were full up to Thanksgiving day. Accordingly the local manager opened negotiations for a game on the Saturday after November 26th. Saturday after next the locals play the high school team from Athens, O. All the games lead up to the biggest, which this year, will be with East High of Columbus. By the time of the big game the local lads will be in the greatest of shape, and it is to be hoped will close the season with a large-sized victory over the lads from the capital.

Play House Team Wins Handily

The game between the Eagles and the Play House football teams at Millbrook park, Sunday afternoon, resulted in the Play House bunch walking away from their opponents to the score of 13 to 0. There was some fast playing put up by these gridiron stars and in one of the rushes Kugleman, the right end for the Eagles, had several teeth knocked out. He plucklily kept on playing.

The two touchdowns made by the defenders of the Play House colors go to the credit of Jimmie Alsbaugh, who played a star game in the field for his team. Brilliant work was also displayed in the spectacular defensive playing of Ed Russell, guard for the Play House team.

A fairly good crowd was out to see this game, which was a hard fought and interesting one, despite the contradiction of the score. It is planned to have these two teams play another game at Millbrook park, probably next Sunday, and if so lookout for a warm struggle, for the Eagles expect to strengthen their organization greatly and will be in shape to give the Play House an interesting contest.

Schreiber Wins Prize

Harry Schreiber, a popular N. & W. brakeman, landed the five dollars in gold offered by the management of the Play House to the bowler who made the highest average in three rolls, Saturday night. This mighty artist of the glazed alleys made 192 in his first effort, 214 in his second and 208 in the third, securing a total of 613. Schreiber is a member of the All Star bowling team and is considered one of the best in the city. R. P. Seiler was second on the list with 595.

Men's underwear, 39c garment at Wolfe's. 23-2t

WM. BAYLESS CRACK CHESS PLAYER

William Bayless, N. & W. engineer, is making a strong bid for the honor of being the chess champion of this vicinity. He has bested every one at the Y. M. C. A., both here and at Williamson, has beaten Mr. Rosenbecker at the Red Cross drug store, and played a game by mail with an expert in New Lork named Murphy and won out. There is much chess playing at the Y. M. C. A. and the rivalry between the players at the Portsmouth Y. M. C. A. and the one at Williamson is quite spirite. The railway management keep all their Y. M. C. A's well supplied with chess and checker outfits.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Ohio Games.

At Columbus — Ohio State, 21; Ohio Wesleyan, 6.

At Cleveland — Reserve, 3; Kenyon, 0.

At Oberlin—Case, 0; Oberlin, 0.

At Oxford — Miami, 10; Marietta, 0.

At Athens — Ohio Northern, 0; Ohio, 0.

At Wooster — Wooster, 29; Heidelberg, 0.

In the East.

At New York — Fordham, 21; Swarthmore, 3.

At Princeton — Princeton, 0; Lafayette, 6.

At Cambridge — Brown, 0; Harvard, 11.

At New Haven — Colgate, 0; Yale, 36.

At Philadelphia — Pennsylvania, 3; Pennsylvania State, 3.

At Amherst — Dartmouth, 13; Amherst, 0.

At West Point — Lehigh, 0; West Point, 18.

At Washington — North Carolina, 5; Georgetown, 0.

At Washington, Pa. — Washington and Jefferson, 8; Westminster, 0.

At Worcester — Bowdoin, 5; Holy Cross, 0.

At Pittsburg — University of Pittsburg 14; Carlisle, 3.

At Ithaca — Cornell, 16; Vermont, 0.

At Annapolis — University of Virginia, 5; Navy, 0.

In the West.

At Madison — Wisconsin, 6; Indiana, 3.

At Milwaukee — Michigan, 6; Marquette, 5.

At Lincoln — Nebraska, 6; Iowa, 6.

American boy's school shoes at Winter's.

Put On Fall Dress.

The trees on the hillsides are putting on their prettiest autumn shades and in many instances the hills resemble a huge bouquet. This is especially true with reference to the hills to the north and northeast.

TIES

Of all kinds at Schwartz's.

RIVER CITYS BEAT ALL STARS

The unfavorable break in the weather conditions Sunday resulted in the usual double header at Riverview park being cancelled, although the few faithful fans who did come out in their overcoats and brave the terrors of pneumonia and stiffened joints were rewarded to some extent by a hastily arranged game between the River City team and the All Stars. The contest went in favor of the River Citys, 9 to 3. Gemperline was in the box for the winning team and was opposed by Ashford. Both sides put up a good article of baseball, considering the unfavorable conditions under which they worked and the fans were well repaid for leaving their warm firesides to see the games. Should the following Sundays be as cold as yesterday, there will be no more games played at Riverview until next season.

Quarantine Lifted.

The quarantine over Hill Boyd's home at Star Yards was raised on Saturday. His young son has recovered from diphtheria.

James Weakley of Chillicothe, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lou Doerr of West Ninth street.

Canvas gloves at Lehman's.

Ladies scarfs 50c at Wolfe. 2t

Equals World's Record For Hundred Yards

London, Oct. 25.—At Wigan, Lancashire, this afternoon, the world's record for the 100-yard dash was equaled by A. R. Holway of England, who came in a yard in front of H. Postle of Australia. Holway was credited with a time of 9 2-5 by one stop watch, but the others all agreed on the figure of the standing record, 9 3-5.

NO FOOTBALL AT IRONTON SUNDAYS

The Burley Cubs, Portsmouth's famed organization of football players, went up against the Blue Laws or something equally as rigorous, when they attempted to get a game with an Ironton aggregation of moleskin warriors at Ironton Sunday. Manager Melvin had his bunch of huskies all in trim to do up the up-river team, when word was received that the officials had put the ban on Sunday football in Ironton. The game was accordingly cancelled.

Has Tonsilitis.

Don Randall of Robinson avenue, is laid up with painful attack of tonsilitis.

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BLAIR STICKS TO BENCH DESPITE AFFIDAVITS

Once more Judge Blair has disregarded affidavits of prejudice filed in liquor cases and on Monday heard the case against A. Hurth, Sr., on the charge of keeping a place where intoxicating liquors were sold or furnished contrary to the local option law. Prosecutor Moulton and Attorney Harry Ball appeared for the state and Henry T. Bannon for the defense.

Although Clerk Adams, under the law, had notified Presiding Judge Martin of these affidavits as early as last Wednesday, no word was received from him. Upon the former occasion, in the first Kaelborn case, Judge Martin asked Judge Corn to replace Judge Blair at the hearing, but it will be remembered, the local Judge refused to vacate the bench. In such a situation, Judge Martin evidently holds it is useless to take this action.

At the outset of the testimony in the Hurth case, Attorney Bannon made various motions to quash the affidavit and for a jury trial and also demurred to the affidavit, all of which were promptly overruled by Judge Blair. These questions were all saved by Attorney Bannon in the event he should want to take the case to a higher court.

Some interesting features were developed at this trial. Principle among them was the fact that the state had tried to indict Hurth upon this testimony, before the September grand jury. Failing to do so, this bench warrant was sworn out before Judge Blair last week by John T. Breece, president of the County Local option league.

The state's principal witness before the grand jury and also on Monday was Charles I. Shaw, a Pond Run farmer. On the stand, he testified that he saw Mr. Hurth sell a drink of what he supposed was whiskey, to Stanley G. Hopkins on or about August 1st, about six o'clock in the morning. Shaw says he passed through the Hurth place on the way to a rear closet, and saw Hopkins drink from a small glass. Also, that Hopkins asked for and was served with a glass of water. Upon cross examination, the witness Shaw, admitted to Attorney Bannon that the glass may have contained something else besides whiskey. Then Mr. Bannon tried to establish that there was some animus against Mr. Hurth, back of Shaw's testimony, but was not allowed by Judge Blair to question Shaw along these lines.

Mr. Hopkins was next called by the state and questioned as to his purchase. He said that he ordered ginger ale but admitted that it may have contained something else. He also admitted that he had bought ginger ale at the place upon several other occasions. No testimony was adduced to show there was any collusion between Hopkins and Hurth, whereby he was to get something stronger than ginger ale.

It was learned outside the trial that the defendant Hurth, claims that some one eavesdropping on a county telephone was indirectly responsible for this case being worked up against him. According to this story, some person from town was talking over the phone to Enos Vaughters, well known West Side farmer. He is served by a party line telephone. The town party was telling Mr. Vaughters that for one, he did not propose to buy any more butter or produce from any of those West Siders who had voted dry. This eaves dropper on the line is alleged to have spread this word and also that the town fellow who made the assertion was named Dolph. At first, they blamed Dolph Glockner for expressing this sentiment, but investigation showed he was innocent of the remark. Then, according to the Hurths, the West Side drys charged it up to Dolph Hurth, who is a son of the defendant in this case. They were never able to trace it to Dolph Hurth, but all the same the family believes this one incident was principally responsible for the affidavit being sworn out against the elder Hurth.

The case was resumed shortly after the noon hour, and the defense created quite a surprise when the attorneys made the announcement that they would call no witnesses.

Attorney Bannon for the defense made the statement to the court that Mr. Hurth was among Portsmouth's most respected citizens, that he had spent a great many years in this city and that this was the first time he was ever in court. Attorney Bannon further stated that his client was the sole of honor and that his word was never doubted in the least.

Judge Blair immediately made the announcement that he believed Mr. Hurth guilty and imposed a fine of $200, but later stated that one half of the amount would be suspended.

Attorneys for the defendant immediately gave notice that they would present arguments for a new trial.

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JNO. M'CURDY IS VICTIM OF PARALYSIS

John McCurdy, a well known retired citizen and brother of Col. William McCurdy, suffered a paralytic stroke at his room in the William Maier place, corner Seventh and Chillicothe streets, the other night. Mr. McCurdy's heart seems affected and he has been steadily growing worse until now fears are entertained for his recovery.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. John Belli Gregory in returning to her Kentucky home desires to give her hearty thanks to all who took part in the ceremonies attending the reinterment of the remains of her grand father, Major John Belli, who died in 1809, one hundred years ago.

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Henry Cooper and Will Monk have formed a partnership to engage in the plumbing and gas fitting business. Both are experienced in the work and hope to do well in their new venture. They have fitted up a work shop at Cooper's home on East Front street, near Gay.

Mrs. Gregory Goes Home

Mrs. John B. Gregory returned to her 3,000 acre estate near Grayson, Ky., on Monday. She says she has 62 acres of land in tobacco and expects a good crop. Before going away Mrs. Gregory signed up a lease granting a right of way to the proposed traction line from Cincinnati to Portsmouth, through her West Side property. She was assured before signing, in a convincing manner, that the line would be built this coming summer.

Melodrama At Grand Tonight

Of all the plays that have been given to the stage by Dramatist Hal Reid none possesses the power of appealing to the emotions in so high a degree as does "At Cripple Creek," which promises to implicate its success of last season when it comes to the Grand tonight.

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MISTAKE MADE IN THE NAMES

In the story published Saturday concerning the Sparks boarding house on East Eighth street, the Times was in error when it connected Motorman Henry Cottle with the account. Fact of the matter is that Henry Cottle is one of Portsmouth's most estimable citizens, and not only himself, but his wife as well, and they live happily together on Grandview avenue, where they own their own home. The item should have read Frank Cottle, who is also employed on the local street railway lines. It was his wife that made the complaint.

The Times is, indeed, sorry that Henry Cottle's name was connected with the article. He is one of the oldest and most valued employes of the street railway company, and a model man in every respect. All his friends who read the story knew that a mistake had occurred in the names, but at the same time the publication of the item caused the popular motorman a great deal of annoyance.

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Leaves On Visit.

Albert Servey, a popular Chillicothe street barber, left Saturday evening for Dixon, W. Va., on a few days visit to his wife's relatives.

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M'CARREN MET DEATH WITH A SMILE ON FACE

Brooklyn, Oct. 25.—Senator Pat McCarren, the Brooklyn Democratic leader, who died Saturday had a bold, stout heart and he never asked nor gave quarter to political or personal foes.

His character stood out when, just before his death, Dr. Peter Hughes, his physician, called in Drs. Figueria and Fuhs, eminent specialists, for a consultation. As the three doctors entered the room Senator McCarren smiled at them.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I know what you have come here for. There is no need for a consultation. I knew I was dying when I walked into this hospital the other day.

"I have diagnosed my own case while lying here. The trouble with me is that I have an old, worn out heart and an old, worn out stomach.

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Sends Word In Advance

An unsigned note, bearing postmark from Ironton and enclosing five cents, carried the information that Mrs. Florence Wolfe, whose little son, Carl was killed by a B. & O. freight train, several months ago, will be here between November 1st and 10th to close suit with the railroad company. What the five cents was for we do not know.

Home From Minnesota

William L. Harris, of the Machine and Casting company, has returned from Stillwell, Minnesota, in the neighborhood of which town he put up two or three farm engines, made by the Casting company. The output of the company goes to nearly all the states of the union. Mr. Harris likes the farming country of Minnesota.

CLERK GODBY RESIGNS

John Godbey, who for the past two years has been employed as night clerk at the Washington hotel, has resigned his position and will leave the city the first of the month. He has secured a position as clerk in the Hotel Kanawha. He will be employed under L. E. Smith, who was at one time landlord of the Washington. Mr. Godbey came to this city from Bluefield, W. Va. He is a young man of fine habits and by his gentlemanly conduct has made a host of friends here, who join in wishing him the best of success.

Underwear sale at Lehman's.

250 Men Working

A force of 250 men, white and colored, were working at the Tenth street N. & W. station Monday. The white and colored men worked in separate crews. They are taking up the old 80-pound rails and replacing it with the 100-pound variety, which is about as large as they make it. The track is being reballasted as the track is renewed.

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To Hold Convention At the Washington

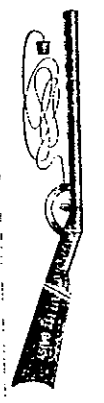
Unless all plans miscarry, the next annual banquet given by members of the United Order of Railway Telegraphers will be held in this city at the Hotel Washington on the 30th of November.

Heretofore, all the banquets given by the railway telegraphers have been held at Roanoke. They are usually delightful affairs and it is considered quite an honor to the city whose privilege it is to entertain the jolly fellows who manipulate the keyboard of the N. & W's telegraph system. For this reason, there has always been considerable rivalry among the cities along the railway for the right to extend their hospitality to the members of the order and this year the fight has been keener than before, Columbus, Cincinnati, and Bluefield, as well as Portsmouth and Roanoke, bidding for the honor. The contest has finally narrowed down to Portsmouth and Roanoke, with the chances altogether in favor of this city being chosen as the place to hold the next annual banquet.

A meeting of the local organization of telegraphers will be held about the middle of November, when the proposition will be definitely settled. There are about 250 telegraphers employed on the N. & W., and should this city be selected as the place to hold the next banquet it will be a nice boost for the Peerless.

Heavy shoes for women at Winter's.

Umbrellas, 98c at Wolfe's. 2t



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